

Cologne a Shambles



—NEA Telephoto from Signal Corps Radio-Telephoto
The background as men of the 3rd Armored Division, 1st U. S. Army, move ahead through the ruins of the German Rhineland metropolis.

Iwo Jima Struggle Assuming Patterns of Other Victories

Small Gains Recorded by Marines; Expect Fight to Last Several Days

U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Guam, March 9—(AP)—The fierce battle for Iwo Jima is assuming the pattern of the final phases of American conquests of other Pacific islands—but it may be several days before correspondents can flash "two secured."

(The Japanese Domei news agency claimed today that Japanese planes "heavily hit" American positions and supply depots in a pre-dawn attack on Iwo Jima.)

(Earlier Tokyo radio broadcasts asserted that Marines had suffered "heavy" casualties.)

Both reports, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, were without allied confirmation.

(The last official Navy report from Guam, covering only the first three days of an operation now 19 days old, placed Marine casualties on Iwo at 5,372, including 644 killed. This week in Washington, Navy Secretary Forrestal, returning from Iwo, said Marine dead totaled 2,050 but he supplied no figures on wounded and missing.)

Today's communique disclosed small gains which at one point saw the Third Marine Division gaining a cliff top only 3,000 yards from the northeast coast.

Japanese Desperate

The Japanese, compressed into a rough crescent shaped area measuring 300 to 1,500 yards wide along the north and east coasts, have adopted desperation tactics such as preceded collapse of their organized resistance on Guam and elsewhere.

Frontline dispatches tell of small banzai charges; of suicidal attacks against American tanks by Japanese armed only with poles to which were attached explosive charges; of enemy troops confined to a great extent in dugouts and caves honeycombing precipitous coastal cliffs; of the discovery of Japanese bodies floating in the surf.

In Washington, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, commander of the Pacific, told correspondents he expected Japanese resistance on Iwo would continue "until the last Jap is killed, wounded or captured."

Maj. Gen. Graves B. Erskine's Third Marine Division fought yesterday to a cliff top overlooking the Pacific, only 300 yards off the northeast coast. They still were

Two PT Boats Sunk by Yank Vessel

Washington, March 9—(AP)—Two United States motor torpedo boats have been sunk in the Philippines by another United States vessel as a result of mistaken identity, the Navy announced today.

Skippers of the two vessels, the PT-77 and PT-9, both were saved. Other casualties were light, the Navy said. Normal complement of a PT boat is from 11 to 15 men. Next of kin of all casualties have been notified.

Loss of the small salvage vessel Extricator in a similar accident was announced March 1 by the Navy.

Lt. (jg) Frank A. Fredinick, Jr., Wakefield, Mass., was skipper of the PT-77, and Lt. (jg) William G. Hartman, Cheektowaga, N. Y., was skipper of the PT-9.

THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MacKENZIE

The surprise crossing of the Rhine by American First Army units south of Cologne is one of the most brilliant coups of the entire war—and one which may shorten the conflict greatly, especially since it synchronizes so perfectly with the new Russian offensive across the Oder against Berlin.

No wonder General Eisenhower is "delighted," since this is the sort of thing a commander dreams of, but hardly dares hope for. Details are lacking, but apparently a hardy and quick-thinking officer flung his men across the river onto a terrain which was so rugged that the Hitlerites never thought an attempt would be made there. As a result, they weren't prepared to defend the position.

Since the first "spearhead" of Yankee adventures went over the river about dusk Wednesday, a steady stream of comrades has been pouring after them. Our bridgehead is said to be firmly established, and our troops are fanning out.

This means that at long last both the western allies and the Russians are inside the final great natural barriers of Hitler's vaunted inner fortress. Thus the further defense of the Reich now depends largely on the German fighting man and his equipment.

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Atrocities

Melbourne, March 9—(AP)—Liberated Dutch and Indonesian prisoners of war newly arrived in Australia say the Japanese, realizing they cannot hold the Indies, have embarked on a wanton campaign of mass tortures, rape and slaughter.

They said more than 2,000 civilians were beheaded in April, 1944, in Dutch Borneo. Among them 13 native rulers. Indonesian intellectuals and civil administrators asserted are being exterminated.

Indulgence in wholesale rape by the Japanese led to a number of uprisings which were suppressed with the greatest brutality. The freed men added.

Several hundred men were liberated by daring dashes through Japanese-held sectors of Dutch New Guinea to inland prisoner camps.

Nazis Stunned Almost Into Paralysis By Daring Capture of Remagen Bridge

Across the Rhine, March 9—(AP)—A daring band of armored infantrymen, utterly ignoring the fact that the 1,200-foot steel road and rail bridge might blow up in their faces, raced across the Rhine at Remagen and saved the allies the costly price of an amphibious invasion of inner Germany.

In a matter of seconds after a company of infantry, paced by Lt. Emmet J. Burrows, had seized the bridge—in the midst of explosions which caused slight damage—elements of the Ninth Armored Division fanned out on the east bank and carried the bridgehead.

The operation took place Wednesday. Civilians said the bridge was to go at 4 p. m. The tanks got there at 3:30 p. m.

Lt. John Mitchell of Pittsburgh, Pa., found the cache of explosive and quickly disconnected the wires. Men were called up to start repair of the superficial damage, while the bridge still was under fire.

That was how the Ninth Armored Division capped a Patton-

Russians Battling Inside Streets of Kuestrin 2nd Time

Oder River Fort Again Under Assault by Zhukov's Troops

London, March 9—(AP)—The troops of Marshal Gregory Zhukov in their offensive toward Berlin have fought into Kuestrin a second time, the Germans reported today, and a bitter battle is raging in the ancient streets of the Oder river fortress.

Russian tanks and infantry attacked 17 times from the northwestern part of the city—which the Germans said yesterday had been bypassed on the north and south by the Russians who had driven across the Oder to within 25 miles of Berlin—but were finally driven back to the suburbs, a German broadcast announced.

Kuestrin, 39 miles east of Berlin, was first reported penetrated about a month ago, before the momentum of Zhukov's drive from Warsaw was spent.

The Russians, however, had not

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\$5,000 Blaze Guts Cafe in Amboy

Fire which started from overheated grease in the kitchen of the Amboy cafe about 12:45 o'clock this morning caused damage to the building and equipment which was estimated at about \$5,000, according to early reports.

The restaurant is operated by Charles C. Elliott and the building is owned by Mrs. Mima B. Clark of Chicago. The first floor was practically gutted by the flames, which spread rapidly; and the second floor, used as a store room, was also damaged considerably.

Members of the Sublette fire department, who had completed a boxing series at one of the Amboy alleys, were in the restaurant at the time, partaking of a lunch before returning home. The night cook notified the Sublette firemen of the fire and the Amboy department was summoned. Members of the Sublette department assisted the Amboy firemen until the blaze was brought under control. Losses early today were estimated at about \$2,500 each on the restaurant equipment and the building.

Rhine Bridgehead Expanded

Mindanao Invasion Reported by Tokyo in Radio Broadcast

Report is Unconfirmed; Yank Forces Closing In on Baguio

Manila, March 9—(AP)—Americans have landed on Mindanao, second largest of the Philippines, said an unconfirmed Tokyo radio broadcast heard in London today.

An earlier report by Tokyo said U. S. warships were shelling Zamboanga, on the southwestern tip of Mindanao, but "no landings had been made up to Thursday night."

(A Tokyo broadcast, heard in London by the Associated Press, gave this "flash":

"Enemy trying to land at Zamboanga at Mindanao since March 8."

(It added:

"The landing was preceded by a heavy bombardment. On March 8 in the morning 30 enemy ships appeared from the west. Soon afterward three cruisers, four battleships, 20 other ships and 20 landing boats were lying off Zamboanga."

"In the afternoon enemy forces with one battleship and two cruisers appeared from the west and other forces including two cruisers approached Zamboanga from the east. Three cruisers appeared at Lecort and took Zamboanga and Lecort under fire. This gave the signal for the landing."

(Japanese broadcasters are usually first to report a major American invasion in the Pacific, although they occasionally make their announcements a day or so ahead of the actual landing.)

Yanks Close in on Baguio

American forces on Luzon were closing in on Baguio, summer capital of the commonwealth, and widening their holdings on the south coast.

The severe wounding of Maj. Gen. Verne D. Mudge, commander of the First Cavalry Division, was made known today. He was wounded on the battlefield northeast of Manila Feb. 28 by a grenade thrown by a Japanese soldier who had been left for dead.

Fragments hit the veteran cavalryman in the abdomen, but the medical staff said his recovery was certain.

Mindanao has been bombed heavily by American planes for months. Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique today told of a 120-ton bombing of Zamboanga barracks and supply areas by bombers of all sizes.

In wide sweeps of China sea shipping, heavy U. S. bombers sank or damaged 11 freighters, including a 10,000-ton tanker sent to the bottom off Formosa.

Low-flying Mitchell medium

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Errol Munt as Wife Denies Divorce Yarn

Hollywood, March 9—(AP)—Errol Flynn seems to be one gent who doesn't have to bite a dog to get into the news.

The latest episode in Errol's stirring career boiled down today to this conclusion:

Someone apparently pulled a hoax on him with a rumor that his wife, red-haired Nora Eddington Flynn, had given the signal for divorce proceedings.

The result was that Nora denied it in Mexico City; her step-mother here said the same; Flynn's secretary professed ignorance, and Errol himself was so irritated he wrote out a statement announcing he wouldn't say anything about anything. He didn't either.

The Weather

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1945
Chicago and vicinity: Partly cloudy with little change in temperature. Saturday fair and a little warmer, gentle winds; low to night 22, high Saturday 54.
Illinois: Partly cloudy with little change in temperature to night. Saturday fair and a little warmer, gentle winds; low to night 22, high Saturday 52.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 7:00 p. m. (Central War Time) Thursday—maximum temperature 42, minimum 22 (year ago 22 and 7); part cloudy.
Saturday—sun rises at 7:17, sets at 6:57.
Sunday—sun rises at 7:15, sets at 6:57.
Forecast: Partly cloudy with little change in temperature to night Saturday fair and a little warmer, gentle winds; low to night 22, high Saturday 52.

Crucifixion Poses New Kind of Case for Chicago Cops

Chicago, March 9—(AP)—A man was found crucified today with a crown of thorns on his head and a minor wound in his side.

Police Capt. Patrick O'Connell said the man, identified as Fred Walscher, 43, was found nailed to a cross early today. The cross, of 2 by 6 planks joined with new bolts, was fastened upright to a pillar of the elevated railroad structure on the near north side.

Tennepenny nails were driven through Walscher's palms and into the horizontal timbers. He was spread-eagled, but his feet, instead of being nailed as were Christs, were supported by ropes; and the weight of his body was taken by a rope around his chest.

Thumbing back to the head of the cross was a crudely-lettered sign—stimulating the sign at Christs' head—which read: Peace on Earth—the brother of Jesus Christ. This good man is chosen (SC) in sacrifice by the noblest and greatest and finest inspiration for world peace. Let's all follow for the good of mankind (sic). God bless him, Amen. By The Unknowing World Controllers."

Were Crude Crown

O'Connell reported Walscher had a crude crown, fashioned of the thorny stems of a rose bush, on his head. A superficial wound of a razor or similar instrument, was found on the left breast, apparently an attempt to simulate the spear thrust of a Roman soldier 1900 years ago.

Walscher was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where Dr. Paul San Filippi reported his condition good and later removed to the county jail hospital for observation.

O'Connell said he was dissatisfied with Walscher's replies to questioning, and said the man at first gave this account of his experience:

"A man came to his basement bedroom about 11 p. m. last night and said there had been an accident at a neighboring intersection. Walscher went with him and under the structure two men with guns said 'do you want to die for the war or for a world revolution?'"

Changes His Story

Walscher told them he would sacrifice himself only for his ideals, whereupon they nailed him to the cross and said they would kill him if he made any noise.

O'Connell said, however, that the victim changed his story later, and finally refused to talk. Questioning of a brother, Frank, only produced a blank wall, but Frank insisted his brother did not drink.

Police advanced these theories as to the motive:

A publicity stunt.

A religious fanaticism in which Walscher was to be a human sacrifice in emulation of barbaric rites of paganism.

A martyr complex in which Walscher offered himself to some cult.

"I've seen nearly everything else in my 30 years of police work," O'Connell said, "but I've never seen anything like this."

Information on Walscher's background was sketchy. Police said he had been born in Austria, had come to America in 1921 and worked as a professional glass blower, more recently as a tavern porter.

Chinese Gain Hold West of Paoching

Chungking, March 9—(AP)—The Chinese high command said today that counterattacking Chinese troops had successfully assailed Japanese positions seven miles west of Paoching, enemy stronghold 62 miles west of Hongyang, inflicted heavy casualties and forced the enemy to retreat toward Paoching.

To the southeast in Kiangsi province, Chinese attacking from a southwest direction have reached the suburbs of Suichuan, lost air base city. Other Chinese attacking from the north engaged the enemy 20 miles from Suichuan.

Canuck Flings Pack Away, Gets 18 Months

Bordon, Hampshire, England, March 9—(AP)—Pvt. W. H. Smith, a Canadian soldier, has been sentenced to 18 months detention by a field general court martial for throwing his rifle and boarding a troopship en route to England. It was announced today.

Smith told the court that he deliberately threw his equipment overboard in hopes military police would take him off the ship.

Ohio River Touches 64 Foot Peak Today at Portsmouth Dike

City Still Dry Behind Mountain of Flood Walls, Sandbags

Portsmouth, O., March 9—(AP)—The flooding Ohio river created here today, with the city still dry behind its flood walls and sandbag dikes.

The muddy waters touched a peak of 64.94 feet, 14.94 above flood stage, and were expected to remain stationary several hours before receding.

Police Chief Ray Brown warned citizens not to return to the low areas of this industrial community of 40,000 inhabitants.

Lt. Col. Walter H. French, executive officer of the Second Infantry of the Guard, asserted "this is the time of our greatest danger" explaining the pressure of the Ohio and Scioto rivers against the flood defenses was heaviest at this moment.

"If the dike should break it would be now," he cautioned townsfolk, who had labored through the night to strengthen a sandbag and earthenwork dike stretching 2,800 feet across the Norfolk & Western railway yards in the city's eastern section.

The city is guarded on the other side by an earthen and concrete wall, and the Scioto county hills. "We are just sitting here holding our breath," Col. French told newspapermen.

He remarked that the waters must recede "a foot or two" before residents could return to the threatened two-thirds of the city's area.

Water Falls Upstream

Reports from Marietta, far upstream, said the river there was falling at a rapid rate, and that merchants were returning to the flooded city block by block.

The swollen waters also were receding at Steubenville and East Liverpool. The river was falling slowly at Cincinnati after reaching a crest of 68.7 feet Wednesday night. Louisville expected a crest of 47.5 feet.

While hundreds of square miles of nearby lowlands were inundated by the muddy overflow, Portsmouth remained dry because 15 feet of concrete were piled on the wall over which a flood poured in 1937, causing property damage of \$16,000,000.

The concrete wall will hold back a 77-foot stage, but it terminates

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'Double V' Paper Campaign Started

Washington, March 9—(AP)—A plan to use funds from waste-paper sales to comfort sick and wounded veterans returning at a rate of more than 30,000 a month was set in motion today.

Sponsored by the American Newspaper Publishers Association, the plan is part of a "Double V" paper salvage drive announced last night by Edwin S. Friendly, chairman of the newspaper committee.

It was endorsed at campaign-opening ceremonies by spokesmen for the Army, Navy, WPE, Red Cross, Boy Scouts and women's groups.

"Churches, clubs and other co-operating groups will devote part of the salvage proceeds to providing radio headsets, movie equipment, books, games and telephone calls home to patients in veterans' hospital in each community."

The serious threat to war production presented by the lag in paper collections of the last three

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Dies in Crash



ENS. RALPH W. MEYER

Twenty-one-year-old son of the William F. Meyers of route 4, Dixon, who was killed in a plane crash near Brigantine, N. J., yesterday. Ensign Meyer was piloting a Corsair fighter plane when the mishap occurred, according to incomplete details furnished by the Navy.

Stationed on the east coast, he had been in service two years, receiving flight training at Monmouth, Ill.; Davenport, Ia.; Del Monte, Calif.; and Lee Field, Fla. He gained his commission at Corpus Christi, Tex., last August. A sister, Dorothy, and a brother, Robert L., are other survivors.

WARS IN BRIEF

(By The Associated Press)

Western Front: U. S. First Army troops reinforced Rhine bridgehead steadily under news blackout; German conquests by Americans, 277 miles southwest of Berlin; First and Third Armies pull noose tighter on perhaps 50,000 Germans in Elbel pocket; Canadians in north, captured Xanten, ferry point guarding German east route to the Rhine.

Russian Front: Russians prepared to cross Dammshofer See in outflanking threat to Stettin; Moscow silent on frontal assault on Berlin at Oder, where Germans reported Red Army 10 miles west of river and 25 from capital.

Italian Front: Americans closed in on Vergato, highway strong-point 17½ miles southwest of Bologna; Germans shelled Bologna-Pistoia road positions.

Pacific Front: Iwo Jima battle assuming pattern of final phase in other island conquests by Americans; Americans in Philippines reported by Tokyo to have landed on Mindanao, second largest of the islands. On Luzon, U. S. troops close in on Baguio, summer command post, and capital, summer holds on southern coast.

WESTERN FRONT TODAY

(By The Associated Press)

Canadian First Army: Captured Xanten, German ferry point, at Rhine.

British Second Army: No official report.

U. S. Ninth Army: Continued pressure on Wesel pocket.

U. S. First Army: Poured troops across Rhine into secure bridgehead.

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Ticket

Town clerk Walter Fallstrom today announced the official ballot for the town-ship election to be held April 3, as follows:

Assistant—supervisor—(Vote for three)—J. Clark Hess, William G. Ford, William E. Hanson, Jr., William W. Teschendorf.

Assessor—(Vote for one)—Arthur C. Handell.

Town Clerk—(Vote for one)—Walter E. Fallstrom.

Justice of the peace—(Vote for five)—Ruth Leydig Merriek, J. O. Shaulis.

Constable—(Vote for five)—Charles Bott, E. A. Taysman, Earl Tippet, Marion K. Utz.

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Up to latest reports at supreme

Ferry At Andernach Captured

Bridgehead Five Miles Long at Least 10 Miles Deep

Paris, March 15—(AP)—The American First Army steadily enlarged its Remagen bridgehead in inner Germany today to an east bank wedge at least five miles deep and ten wide.

The U. S. Third Army won domination of the Rhine north of Coblenz tonight by capturing the ferry terminal of Andernach and the town of Brohl, eight miles south of Remagen.

Daring armored infantryment of the Ninth Armored Division captured the double-tracked Ludendorff railroad, bridge at Remagen and swiftly raced along its 1,200-foot length into the steep cliffs of Erpel, 276 miles southwest of Berlin and 30 southeast of Cologne.

Erpel (pop. 1,000), at the east end of the bridge, was swiftly overrun and the tanks and foot troops swarmed into the Baisatic cliffs and rolling green Rhineland hills beyond. A German medic surrendered the town and 600 wounded Germans and a few American prisoners in it.

The Germans were stunned almost into paralysis. Hundreds laid down their arms. Flags flapped along the entire route of the Ninth Armored Division's charges.

Covered by Fighters

By German account, the American First Army had been halted before the castle east bank town of Linz, three miles east of Remagen and 276 miles southwest of Berlin.

The buildup in the rolling green Rhineland hills was swift and under a protective cover of fighter bombers against resistance which the surprised enemy still had been unable to stiffen.

German resistance finally collapsed in the huge Elbel mountains pocket, between the First and Third Armies as hemmed in Divisions broke from their lines and raced for the Rhine.

The Third Army was shelling Coblenz and was last reported four miles away. Reports many hours late placed probing tank columns of the First and Third Armies only 15 miles apart south of Remagen.

The British, Canadian and U. S. Ninth armies, whittled down the violently defended Wesel bridgehead to the north and captured Xanten, fabled birthplace of Wagner's Siegfried.

Take Bridge Intact

Bonn, between Cologne and Coblenz, was in its last hours of Nazi rule as the first division crashed through its ancient streets to the Rhine, where the enemy blew the Rhine bridge.

The Germans said the Americans had captured a bridge intact at Remagen. The Ludendorff span there is a double track railroad bridge capable of bearing tanks, trucks and foot troops. A Berlin military spokesman said the First Army troops found the bridge which "by chance" was not destroyed.

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Franklin Grove

GLADYS JACOBS,
Correspondent
Phone 158
Call Duane Plouffe if You Miss
Your Telegraph

The Red Cross drive for the War Fund contributions has started in China township. So be prepared to give all you can to the Red Cross worker when she stops at your home. Should you be away and are missed, you may still make your donation at the Franklin Grove bank.

In the Service
Pfc. John Bellezza of Salina, Kansas, is home on a fifteen day furlough.

Church Notes
Lenten Union services at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. Rev. S. L. Cover will deliver the sermon. Topic, "Finding Ourselves Through God." Remember Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

Morning Worship
Lutheran Church: Rev. F. W. Henke, pastor. Morning services, 8:00 a. m. Topic, "In Crucel Condemnation." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Methodist Church: Rev. Gilbert S. Peters, pastor. Sunday school, 9:00 a. m. Morning worship, 10 a. m. Topic, "Littleness of Soul." Brethren Church: Rev. S. L. Cover, pastor. Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m.

Presbyterian Church: Rev. H. C. Montanus, pastor. Sunday school, 9:00 a. m. Morning services, 9:50 a. m.

Food Sale

The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid will hold a food sale Saturday, March 17th, at Kelly's store. There will be home-made doughnuts and cookies, baked fresh Saturday a. m. at the church, among other good things to eat. The sale will start at 10 o'clock.

F. G. Woman's Club

Franklin Grove Woman's club met Monday afternoon at Kersten gymnasium. Reports were given, a letter to the club from Pfc. Ted Phillips, who thanked the club for remembering him and also told of some of his experiences. It was a three-page, very interesting letter. Mrs. Edna Gross, chairman of the Red Cross in Franklin Grove, asked for volunteers for the coming Red Cross drive. It was decided the club donate \$15.00 toward the drive. Mrs. Alice Schafer read

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a letter from the "Good House-keeping Institute," a request to home-makers on waste paper, salvage and saving tin, and the many important things that waste fats are used for. There was a questionnaire on household appliances. The president, Mrs. Catherine Schier then appointed a nominating committee, Mrs. Vera Gross, Mrs. Elsie Ghem, Mrs. Bessie Wendle, Mrs. Pauline Wiseman and Mrs. Kathryn Herbt. The chairman of the committee in charge of the "Family Night" party, Mrs. Pansy Biessecker, then announced March 15 as the date set for this get-together, each member is requested to bring sandwiches for their family. The committee has an evening of fun planned for old and young. Bingo and bunco and cards. So remember the date, March 15th at Kersten gymnasium.

The program was then turned over to Mrs. Edna Gross, chairman of the Conservation department, who announced vocal numbers by the girls' sextet of the high school. A saxophone number by Eugene Degner and vocal number by the boys' quartette of the high school. Mrs. Gross then introduced Fred Davis of the Davis green house in Dixon, who gave a very interesting talk on plants, the starting of seeds and the transplanting of plant slips. He touched on the extensive raising of tulips in Holland and how that has been ruined by the war. How long it will take to build up the bulbs again. Then he asked for questions on any plants that the members might have. Mr. Davis told of how he and his brother came to Franklin Grove years ago from Morrison and sold

flowers door to door. He spent the night at the livery stable and his brother who was older stayed at the home of a family by the name of Black. Mr. Davis brought many potted plants and cut flowers, which he donated to the club. One lovely plant was kept to be sent to Mrs. Minnie Hawbecker, a past president, who is in the Dixon hospital. Numbers were passed out to the members and the rest of the plants were given to those holding the winning numbers. Miss Cora Schafer, Mrs. Mary Grace Degner, Mrs. Pearl Kesselring, Mrs. Eunice Page, Mrs. Minnetta Moore, Mrs. Pauline Wiseman and Don Baker all won potted plants. Mrs. Mina Clark and Mrs. Gladys Jacobs won the two bouquets of beautiful cut flowers, consisting of calla lilies, carnations and snapdragons. The committee served refreshments.

Waste Paper Drive
The Franklin Grove Boy Scout troop will collect waste paper for the General Eisenhower drive March and April, a drive which is being carried on throughout the United States. The main collection probably will be made March 17 and plans are being prepared now. It is hoped to have a truck which can call at the homes on the morning of that day to pick up the paper and haul it directly to the market in Dixon so as to avoid any extra handling.

The people of Franklin Grove can help if they will.
1. Tie all magazines and newspapers in tight bundles that will not fall apart when handled.
2. Put all scrap and loose paper in paper cartons and tie or fasten the lids together. (The

Boy Scouts will be unable to handle loose scrap paper otherwise.)
3. Place all paper on the front porch by 8:30 a. m. on the day of collection.

Since it may be necessary to make a change in the dates of collection, a Boy Scout will bring a notice to your home the day before to remind you of the drive. A clean-up day will probably be set for early in April to take care of any paper missed on the first day. This will be announced later.

Mong School
The Mong Community club held their meeting and election of officers, Friday evening, March 2. The newly elected officers are: Mrs. Ira Buck, president; Mrs. Lorraine Schmucker, vice president; Miss Eunice Miller, secretary-treasurer. There were about twenty-two present. Mrs. Bessie Wendle and Mrs. Ethel Eeghly had charge of the entertainment. Mrs. Lorraine Schmucker and Miss Eunice Miller served refreshments. The next meeting will be Friday March 23.

In Hospital
Miss Wilhelmina Greenfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greenfield of Amboy submitted to major surgery Wednesday at the Amboy hospital.

Klio Club
Mrs. Vera Gross was hostess to the Klio club, Tuesday March 6th with a 1 o'clock luncheon. Mrs. Mae Gross and Miss Carrie Anderson were co-hostesses. Hearts were played and Mrs. Carrie Mong won high score. The attendance was one hundred per cent.

Tuxis Group
The Tuxis group of young people of the Presbyterian church met Monday evening at the church.

Miss Janice Burhenn was the leader.

Birthday Party
Little Rodney Montgomery-Roop, son of Sgt. and Mrs. Rodney E. Roop was two years old March 6. On Sunday his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roop had a birthday dinner for him, his mother and little brother Danny. Mrs. William Palmer, his aunt, Mrs. Hugh Cruse, his grandmother and Mrs. Elwood Cruse, of Dixon were all at his birthday party at the Arthur Roop home. A big white birthday cake with two candles on it centered the table.

Personal
The Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Montanus and sons gave a vocal and instrumental musical program at the Oregon Methodist church Monday evening March 5. The young adult class of the church of which Mr. and Mrs. Russel Hopkins belongs had a scramble supper for their class members and families. Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery, parents of Mrs. Hopkins were guests, and assisted the Montanus family in taking their band instruments to Oregon.

Fortnightly Club
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross entertained the members of the Fortnightly club and several guests Wednesday evening with a 7:00 dinner at the Coffee House in Dixon and bridge was enjoyed later in the evening at the Gross home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Rambo and Mrs. John Liggett of Amboy. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leake of Lee Center, and Mr. and Mrs. William Jacobs of Mendota. Mr. and Mrs. William Weise of Ashton and daughter Miss Mary Louise Weise of Long Beach Cal., and Billy Weise R. T. 3/c home on leave from Ocean-

side, Cal., Mrs. Warren Mong, and Mrs. Kenneth Gross. Prizes were awarded to Miss Weise and William Jacobs high score. Mrs. Warren Leake and William Weise, second high, and Mrs. William Weise held honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson of Nachusa and two daughters, Diane and Cadet Jacquelyn Johnson of Dubuque, Iowa called at the R. E. Jacobs home Wednesday evening. Cadet Johnson is home on a twenty-one day leave from the Finley Nurses Home at Dubuque.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Wilson and family of Rockford. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blume and daughter Miss Hazel were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart McBeth. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roop and two sons visited Mr. George Manning at the Rockford hospital Sunday. Mrs. Manning who has been in Rockford with her husband returned to Franklin with them.

Mrs. Faith Cravens and her brother George Ives Jr., spent Thursday and Friday at Olney, Illinois.

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**"Toothbrush Twins" to
Be Arraigned Tuesday**

Boston, March 9—(AP)—The "Toothbrush Twins," will be brought into Federal court March 13 to plead to indictments brought by a grand jury Wednesday on a variety of larceny charges.

The "twins," Edgar W. Cooke, 31, and George W. Stubblefield, 37, alias Gilles, are accused of committing crimes from Nebraska to Maine. They will be brought from the Middlesex county jail under heavy guard for their arraignment.

Having staged breaks from

several jails, they escaped from their cell in Council Bluffs, Ia., by shaping a toothbrush into a key and used it to open six doors.

Indictments returned yesterday charged three instances of transporting stolen cars; breaking and entering, and conspiracy to breaking and entering a postoffice at Stoughton, Mass., with intent to commit larceny; theft of postage stamps, war stamps and cash from the same postoffice; and theft of \$993.75, thirty-five \$1,000 war bonds and a \$100 war bond from the Franklin Park theater in Boston.

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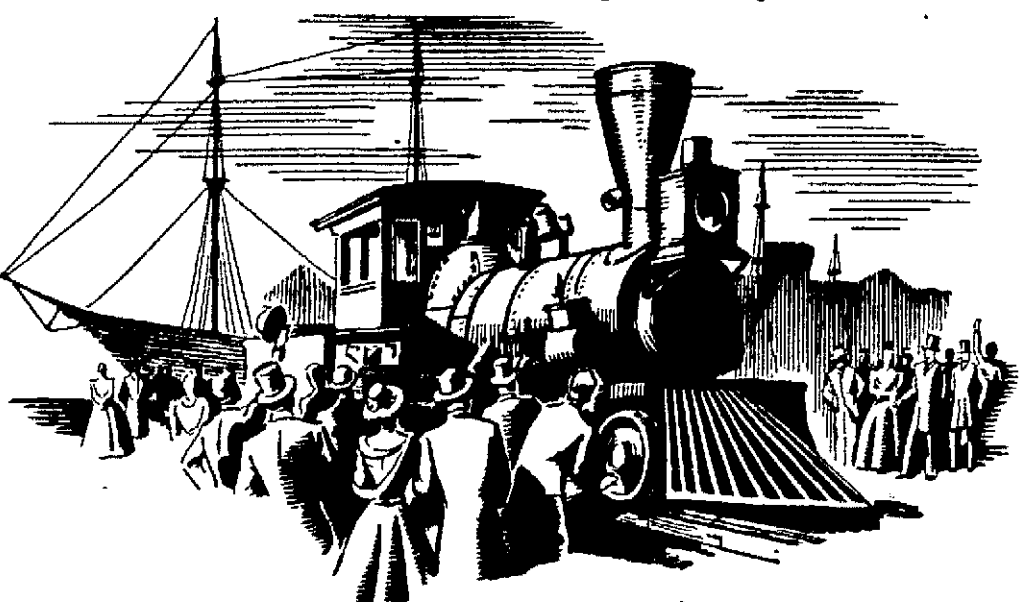
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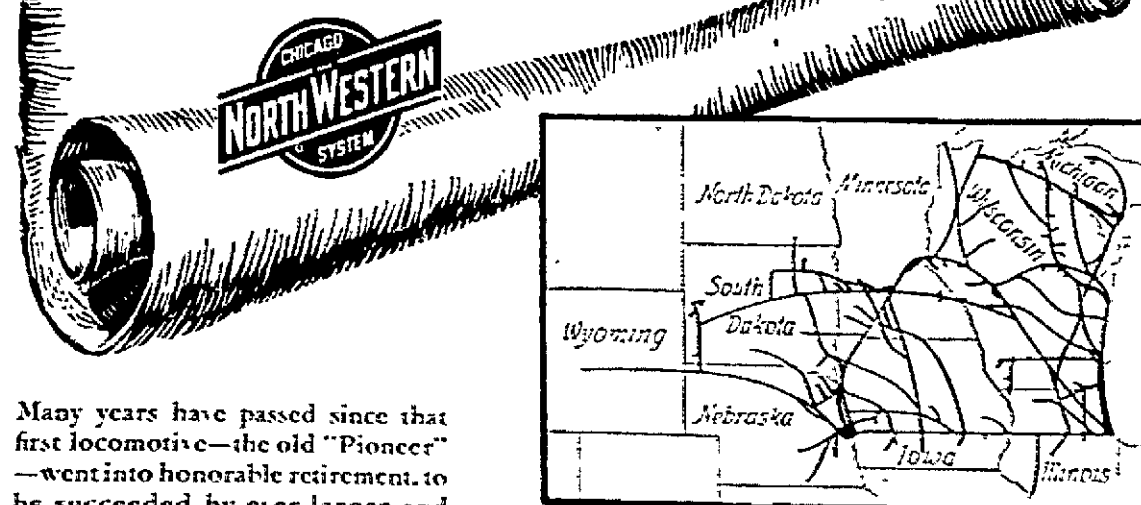
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It was a magnificent thing

to behold! And less than a month later, on its official run, many of Chicago's "Who's Who" made a short run west. There were directors, stockholders, business men and editors—the west's first passengers—who sat on seats fitted hastily into a couple of work cars to experience a new speed thrill.

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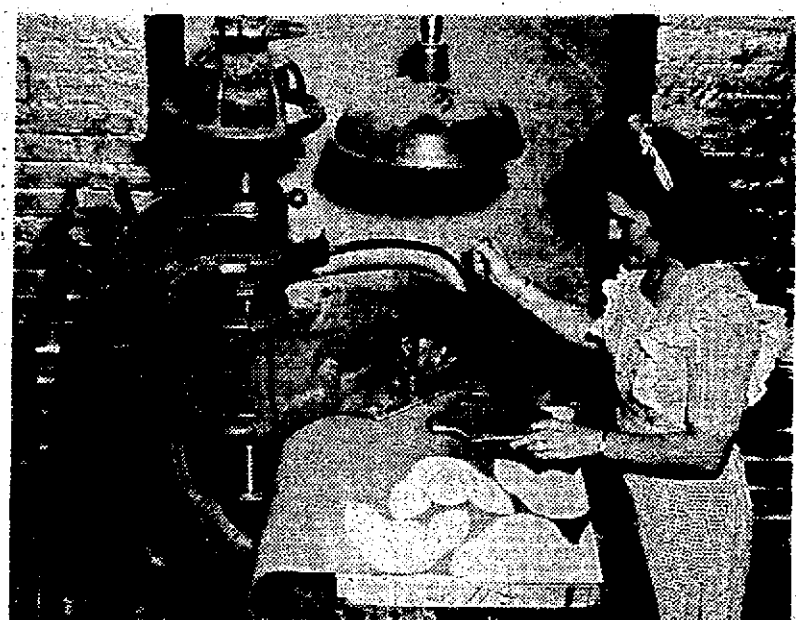
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COURTEOUS INTERVIEWS

Men, women and boys are interviewed personally by J. M. Petersen, plant superintendent, and tours throughout the plant can be arranged before an applicant decides whether or not he or she cares to join the organization. Mr. Petersen takes particular care in seeing to it that new employees are placed at points throughout the plant where they are the most adaptable for the operation. He also discusses rate of starting pay and future promotions with the individual before they start work.

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Every effort is made to maintain pleasant working conditions for the members of our organization. As an example, an opportunity is presented to all employees each morning to purchase sandwiches and milk. A regular schedule of delivery is maintained each day for refreshments and are offered on the assembly line at the point of the employee's work.

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No one need have any fear about being able to learn the job at the Freeman Shoe Company. The operation is of a continuous nature and employees perform certain duties which remain the same.

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A Job With A Post-War Future.....

Science, in past years, has brought many improvements to our way of living, but it is agreed that footwear will remain substantially the same. Indications, at the present time, point to a big market for civilian shoes after the war and workers who are receiving their training today will be learning a good post-war trade which should be of tremendous help in guaranteeing themselves of steady employment after the conflict.

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Book & Lyrics by
W. Shakespeare

Speaking of Mr. Petrillo, the American Federation of Musicians has made news without his assistance. That was through the ruling of New York Local 802 that Shakespeare's "The Tempest" is a musical comedy, because it is incidental music and about a half-minute of singing in its present Broadway production.

Because of this ruling, the play's producers must now employ 18 musicians in the pit at \$92 a week, instead of 12 musicians at \$65. That adds \$892 to the producers' weekly overhead. But we still think that they're the winner, and that they probably ought to drop Local 802 a note of thanks.

For the union's decision will put the play in a new light for most of us. Of course, there are some who claim that "The Tempest" is Shakespeare's greatest play. But they're the highbrow minority who like their Shakespeare in the library, not on the stage, and who don't mean a nickel at the box office.

But there must be thousands of us who suffered exposure to "The Tempest" in school, and who survived it with the feeling that here was probably as dull a dish of mystic double-talk as ever was entombed among the classics. And if we chanced upon the average stage performance of the "comedy," our feeling was doubled—in spades.

Now a little smart showmanship might change all that: "The Tempest . . . scintillating . . . sparkling . . . the gayest musical on Broadway. Music by David Diamond. Book & Lyrics by W. Shakespeare."

Yes sir, a little canny exploitation and the producers can clean up, thanks to Local 802.

Stumping the Expert

Miss Lillian Hellman, the playwright, has returned from four months in Russia with a feeling of contempt for those travelers who spend six weeks in the Soviet Union and then come home as self-styled authorities on that vast nation.

A lot of us will understand Miss Hellman's impatience, for we have felt the same way for several years. Throughout the Thirties, when the European pot was coming to a boil, the woods were full of short-course experts.

But this war seems likely to put them out of business. There will be thousands of veterans who have had a longer and more intimate look at foreign life and problems than some so-called expert of past years, and it also seems likely that faster and cheaper postwar travel will open foreign doors to others than those with wealth, leisure, or the blessings of an expense account.

With new thousands of wide-eyed European vacationers to supplement our traveled veterans, there won't be so much of a market for the once-over-lightly pundits.

NEWS
BEHIND
THE NEWS
By PAUL MALLON

Washington—The crux of the announced world peace is as published in this column February 21. International controversies can be taken up by a majority vote, but action can be taken only by unanimous vote. The detailed restrictions are even stronger.

Unanimity is required not only for the use of forces to prevent future wars, but also any matter relating to the regulation of armaments and even for a decision as to whether a controversy is a breach of the peace. If any one of the big five nations objects, the whole peace deal is off. Each nation then decides for itself what it wants to do, with whom to ally, whom to fight. This then is not a "security pact," as it is being called, because it does not pretend to guarantee security. It does not assume to prevent future wars except small ones, provisions for big ones being fully reserved. In truth, it is specifically not even a disarmament agreement.

It is simply a working arrangement to consider future world troubles and to try to do something about them through an association which is not a league.

Roosevelt, in his speech on Livadia, acutely described the deal there as proposing to bring as much democracy "as possible" to Europe with elections as soon "as possible." Practically everything was as good "as possible."

In the same sense, this post-war plan is as much of an agreement as was possible to bring as much security, peace and disarmament as will be possible.

The discernible danger of the plan is that its limitations may not be understood, guarded against, prepared for. Confusing interpretations are already being made. The official explanations are worded so that few people generally will understand the proposition.

The text inter-relates provisions between paragraphs and sub-sections so only a lawyer who studies it can form his own conclusions and the announcements contain such phrases as "quasi-judicial," etc. Simplicity in full explanations seems nowhere available yet.

Enough confusion exists in the situation to warrant misunderstanding without adding it artificially. For one thing this is not the Woodrow Wilson formula in any sense. He wanted to use force (sanctions) against aggressors by majority vote of the League council, and he would not let Lodge or the reservationists insert a veto provision against action in which this country claimed a mortal interest.

This plan is more on the Borah. If not the original Lodge line and definitely swerves away from the administration line fixed by Ball, Burton, Hatch, Welles and Wallace—the one worlders.

Now this has come about, not because Roosevelt became an isolationist, but because Stalin and

Russia have taken what we in this country have erroneously called an isolationist position and insisted upon it.

It seems clear Roosevelt has been required to accept the Russian position now in order to get any basic working arrangement at all. He could have gotten this same deal at Dumbarton Oaks.

The Russians withdrew there because both Britain and the United States stood for united action even against themselves. Stalin bided his time thereafter until a popular demand for settlement arose in this country.

While Roosevelt wrote this "compromise" it is what the Russians demanded at Dumbarton without success.

Indeed, the whole Livadia arrangement (Poland, reparations, etc.) is basically the announced, known Russian position, with non-critical moderations (such as elections). This then represents a strong departure in Roosevelt policy, forced by Russia, but the changes we have made makes it more popular in the senate.

Officialdom itself is now proudly proclaiming that it will enable us to veto any Russian or European military action against South America, and protect the Monroe doctrine—and it will. Yet it will still allow an American representative to declare war without consent of congress, in cases in which the eleven council members are unanimous in disputes involving small nations.

Thus Russia and Britain could go into South America aggressively, unless he vetoed it. His powers in this and other respects will surely be hedged by congress.

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Fair Enough
by
WESTBROOK PEGLER

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In the light of Judge Phillip L. Sullivan's decision that the seizure of Montgomery Ward's property was a lawless act, let us refer to a gratuitous statement by Frank P. Graham, ostensibly a "public" or impartial member of the War Labor Board, on Dec. 117.

The very designation "public" member reveals a serious fault in the spirit of government officials should be "public" officials. That is to say they should be impartial and just. Yet we have "labor" senators and congressmen and Biddle, the attorney general, has announced, in effect, that the Roosevelt government is a "labor" government. That means that the changes we have made makes it more popular in the senate.

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They'll Do It Every Time



not done. If Ward, in such a notorious case, could be so abused, a mere Army officer, even a general, of whom we now have hundreds, would stand no chance in a guardhouse argument about his rights.

Examining the situation now, we find the Army enforcing an illegal order to uphold a "policy" of a government which is admittedly partial to Ward's opponent in a case at law. The Army, too, has propaganda services whose duty is to justify the Army's position which in this case, violates a citizen's rights. The Army is, in practical effect, the client of its own propaganda specialists and obviously will suffer no criticism at their hands. It is theirs not to reason why but to do their stuff just as resolutely as though they were attacking Germans or Japs instead of an unoffending fellow citizen at home. The Army being no longer in a "public" or impartial position, neither is its propaganda service. It is all arrayed, by orders, on the side of a litigant which happens to be a political ally of the commander-in-chief.

Meanwhile, officers have been accepted and promoted, who are sincerely partial to the president as a politician, to his party and to unions. Men of such sympathies would not, as civilians, even offer to serve in the "public" or impartial capacity in an issue between a big employer and a union. With most of them "labor" or "unionism" is a cause, and they cannot be asked to renounce their deepest convictions. The most that can be asked is that they do not let their convictions influence their conduct as officers. But in the present situation, they are in the pleasant position of men whose convictions agree with their duty.

All this is an abuse of the president's military authority and a dangerous misuse of the Army. It is an evil precedent which, in a future case, could be invoked to mistreat with military force and a tremendous fire-power of propaganda any other center of resistance against a government "policy." It puts the Army in a false position and imposes on its propaganda services the duty of defending indefensible acts.

By now we have the president, the War Labor Board, the director of War Mobilization and the Army itself, all arrayed against a citizen defending his rights. He may not be a popular citizen but neither was Captain Dreyfuss.

The Army, of course, is not "public" in the sense of impartiality. The president is commander-in-chief and all the officers are obliged to obey his orders and uphold him in his contentions. An officer might have some vague and theoretical legal right to publicly criticize an order given to him by authority of his commander-in-chief, but this simply is

Deaths

Suburban—
MRS. MATTIE NAFFZIGER
(Telephone Special Service)
Walnut, March 9—Mrs. Mattie Naffziger, 80, passed away at her home here last midnight, death resulting from a heart attack. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Kasper Community church, with burial in the Walnut cemetery.

Mrs. Naffziger, who was born Oct. 18, 1864, is survived by three sons, Victor at home, John of Princeton and Eugene of West Bureau township; and one grandson. Her husband, H. B. Naffziger, whom she married in 1891, preceded her in death in 1931.

Local—

MRS. GEORGE BAIN
Mrs. George Bain, 43, passed away at 10:15 o'clock this morning at her home, Graham street and Pennsylvania avenue. Funeral arrangements, which are being made at the Staples funeral home, and an obituary will be published later.

Obituaries

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Lodge

American Legion—At the regular meeting of Dixon post, No. 12, American Legion held Wednesday evening at the Legion hall, a large class of candidates were initiated. Commander Albert Ruggles invited the members to attend the annual Legion birthday party to be held at the dining room of the Elks club house on Sunday evening, March 18, at 6:30. A program fitting the occasion is now being completed. Attention was also called to the memorial service to be conducted by the Rev. Fr. Joseph C. Mason at St. Luke's Episcopal church Sunday afternoon, March 18 at 2:30 which will be attended by the Legion and Auxiliary in a body, honoring Pvt. Paul Reynolds who met death in the European front several weeks ago. At the close of the meeting Jake Snyder and his committee served refreshments.

CARD OF THANKS
We sincerely thank all our friends for their kindnesses shown during the illness and following the death of our husband and father, Jacob Sinow. We deeply appreciate the cards, letters and other generous expressions of consolation.

Mrs. Jacob Sinow
and Children.

Adv.11

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My Heart Sings.....Johnnie Johnston

Are You Livin' Old Man
Ev'ry Time We Say Goodbye.....Stan Kenton

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A SONG to REMEMBER
by Willard Wiener

XXXVIII
THE UNREAL WORLD
The piano arrived! Frederic! The heaven was complete. He improvised, he played, he composed. Waltzes, preludes, nocturnes, came from his pen, one after another, in tumbling profusion. "Ah," he would say, "wait until they hear this one!" Then he would begin to talk with enthusiasm of his forthcoming concert. He would forget himself and remind George of what she had hoped he had forgotten of his purpose in coming to France.

"Will you still harp on it?" He was apologetic. "George, I'm sorry."

She was not convinced. "Frederic, I try so hard to make you see the pattern of your life—then you talk to me of concerts—"

"Yes, George. I will forget them."

"All that I've been building up," she said, "falls down."

"And you have to pick me up again?" he said meekly.

"I'm serious, Frederic; and I want you to be serious."

"I sit at your feet, Madame."

"Then, Monsieur, you will not talk of concerts. There will be no concerts. Do we understand that?"

"Of course, Madame."

"Now or ever?"

"George, don't scream."

"You will create great music—"

"For you, George."

"For the world!"

"—And who is my world, George?"

They were gay, they were serious, they were light of heart. They had each other and they had shut out the world—the other world—they created their own.

"As beautiful and as unreal," she said, "as our island home. The other world must always be shut out, Frederic. You will not play for mobs. Your genius is

creating music for lesser men to play. Write it, Frederic. We shall enjoy it, just the two of us—then we shall send it on to Paris, and—"

"—And then, Madame?"

"Oh, Frederic, you are impossible!"

JOZEF ELSNER haunted the salesrooms of Pleyel et Cie for news of Frederic and whenever new Chopin scores arrived from Majorca "for immediate publication," he would be the first to go through them. He would frequently sit himself down to one of Pleyel's best pianos—without a word of admonition from Monsieur Pleyel—and play one or more of the Chopin compositions.

He was at the piano now, in a despondent mood, and the piece he was playing—a Chopin nocturne—did nothing to lift his despondency.

"Bravo!" cried Henri Dupont as Jozef Elsnor finished the nocturne.

Monsieur Pleyel said: "That's what I call salacious—as well as beautiful."

Jozef Elsnor peered over his spectacles.

"What do you say, Jozef?"

"—Humph."

"Elsner, where's your ear?" He picked up a sheet of Chopin scores. "Magnificent! Every one! A waltz—Mazurka—Nocturne—another nocturne—Waltz Brillante—He deposited them on the piano. 'Go through them, Elsnor! Go through them—'"

"Is this all he sent? He sent nothing else?"

Monsieur Pleyel looked at Henri Dupont and Henri Dupont looked at Monsieur Pleyel.

"—I was thinking, Louis, of a particular work. Oh, this music is all right. Not more than that. It is charming. Frederic knows what he is doing. Don't misunderstand me, Louis. But this other piece that I am always looking for—it is, a bigger work—a very

important piece—the Polonaise." Monsieur Pleyel wet his lips. Henri Dupont rubbed his nose. "I don't know about the Polonaise," Monsieur Pleyel said. "It may be in the next bundle. Who knows? I'll look forward to it. But these are in hand! Elsnor, these will sell!"

Jozef Elsnor said: "I have no doubt."

"Go through them. Convince yourself—"

Jozef Elsnor shook his head. He got up from the piano. "Louis, you are arranging for Frederic's concerts?"

"Concerts! And what concert! Let him write works like these and there won't be concert halls big enough!"

"You think he won't return, Louis?"

Louis Pleyel blustered and Henri Dupont's mouth fell open. Louis Pleyel said: "I think no such thing. Elsnor, why do you accuse me?"

Jozef Elsnor twisted his head. "He wrote you he wasn't returning?" Eh? He told you that, didn't he, Louis?"

Jozef Elsnor reached for his hat. "He did tell you?"

"Jozef, didn't he tell you?"

"—Yes, of course. That's how I know. He tells me everything. There's nothing he doesn't tell me. I am his teacher. Why wouldn't he tell me?"

Jozef Elsnor twisted his head again. "And now, Louis—I can tell you something. He will return. Yes, I don't think. I know. You will see, Louis, you will see. He clamped his hat on his head. "Good day, Messieurs; good day."

WHEN there was no news from Frederic, Jozef Elsnor made news out of his own head. It was important that he do it. He must never fail to post his accustomed letter to Papa and Mamma Chopin.

"—The music he sends back will make him quite famous. There is no doubt about that. His concerts, too, will be very successful. For these reasons, my dear friends, I have urged him to stay in Majorca as long as possible—"

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SOCIETY

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE ANNUAL PARTY WILL BE HELD TONIGHT IN HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

The gymnasium of the Dixon high school this evening will be the setting for the annual party given by the freshman and sophomore classes.

Carroll Greene is acting as general chairman for the affair and several committees made up exclusively of freshmen and sophomores will assist. Shirley Barrowman is the chairman of the committee securing the music for the party and is being aided by Carletta Rosenow. They have obtained Emil Magnafici's orchestra to furnish popular dance tunes for dancing from 8 to 11 o'clock.

The committees have announced, however, that the evening's entertainment will not be devoted entirely to dancing. Betty Cramer and Janet Shaw are arranging to have games of ping pong, shuffle board and other table games, and also a new and exciting game which is to be a surprise.

Jim Landis, Bob Sproul, and Evelyn Hinds have made up a menu that will suit everyone's taste. While refreshments are being served, there will be an entertaining floor show given by talent collected by Bill VanHoese. Jim Ambrose, Jean Miller and Don Thoms. Don Russell and Alice Collins will give piano selections and Connie Melnik will give an exhibition of baton twirling. Beverly Wullenweber will do a tap dance. Shirley Barrowman and Carletta Rosenow will sing a duet; Harold France will play trumpet solos, and the Barber Shop Quartet, composed of Don Russell, Wendell Snell, Byron and Don McLean, will sing some good old-fashioned songs. All freshmen and sophomores are invited to the party.

MRS. GEORGE IS CIRCLE HOSTESS

Circle one of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met yesterday with Mrs. Myrtle George for its annual luncheon party. The committee in charge of the party served a tasty luncheon to members and a number of invited guests at small tables.

Mrs. Rowena Powell presided at a short meeting following the meal and presented Mrs. Winebrenner, who was in charge of the devotionals. An enjoyable program followed with several favorite hymns sung with Mrs. Bertha Sawyer at the piano. Mrs. A. T. Hardy conducted an interesting Bible quiz and a solo. "Be the Best of What-ever You Are," was sung by Mrs. Sawyer. Mrs. Mary Deutsch gave four short flower poems, "Old Fashioned Roses," "Regal Lilies," "Little White Rose" and "Forget-Me-Not."

MRS. ELTON SCHOLL IS CLUB HOSTESS

Mrs. Elton Scholl was hostess to the members of the Missionary society of the Baptist church last evening at her home. Miss Erna Hoelzen was her co-hostess. Mrs. David Leer, president, presided. Mrs. W. D. Milliken led in the devotionals, after which Mrs. Leer gave a paper and talked on the effect that Christianity has upon the India tribes. Refreshments in keeping with St. Patrick's day were served and a social hour followed.

VISITS FRIENDS
Miss Cleora Wadsworth spent the past week in Chicago visiting friends and also in Hammond and Crown Point, Ind., and at the Harold Achor home in Gary, Ind.

AT HAZELWOOD
Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen is spending the weekend at "Hazelwood."

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SHARON KLEIN IS BIRTHDAY HOSTESS

Mrs. Elmer Klein entertained a number of friends for her young daughter, Sharon, on Wednesday afternoon. The occasion was Sharon's sixth birthday anniversary.

Those present were Sandra Bowers, Judy and Susan Rintoul, Barbara Ann Maloney, Norma and Donnie Lebre, Judy Shertner, Billie Maurer, Susan Stiles, Nancy Miller, Lynne Benhart and Sharon's sister.

Sharon received many nice gifts from her party guests and birthday cake and ice cream were enjoyed at the close of the afternoon.

NACHUSA CIRCLE
The Nachusa Teachers' Reading circle met at the home of Mrs. Ray Herbert Thursday evening. Iva Callahan, president, presided and Nelle McKenny gave a report on Hawaiian Island outposts from the study book, "Brothers Under the Skin." Grace Jacobs and Marian Hahn talked on school legislation. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Ella Mae Herbert, Anna Lehman and Mary Jane Boynton.

JUNIOR CHOIR MEETING
The junior choir of the First Christian church will meet to practice at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the junior department room of the church. All who wish to sing Easter and seasonal music are requested to be present. Miss Goldie M. Gigous is the director.

Calendar

Tonight
Mothers' Study club of Christian church—Mrs. Morris Polhill, hostess, 8 p. m.
Franklin Grove High school—Music festival; Kersten Gymnasium, 8 p. m.
Corinthian, Shrine, No. 40, W. S. of J.—Meet at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple, 8 p. m. Election of officers.
Palmyra Grange—Meet at town hall, 8 p. m.
Twentieth Century Literary club—Mrs. Dorrance Thompson, hostess, 8 p. m.
Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge—Meet in Odd Fellows hall, 8 p. m.

Saturday
Dixon Woman's club—Meet at St. Paul's Lutheran church, 2 p. m. Mrs. Raymond Knapp, speaker.

Monday
Dixon Woman's Relief Corps—Meet in G. A. R. hall, 2:30 p. m.
Service club—Mrs. David Murphy, hostess, 2 p. m.
Ambroy Baptist church—Annual birthday party for members, 8 p. m.
Compton Woman's club—Compton Methodist church, 7:45 p. m.

Tuesday
Highland Avenue club—Mrs. Norman W. Dietrich, hostess, 7:30 p. m.
South Dixon Home Bureau unit—Mrs. Charles Hank, hostess; all day meeting.
Junior Woman's club—St. Paul's Lutheran church, 7:45 p. m.
Job's Daughters—Stated meeting; Masonic temple, 7:20 p. m.
Nachusa Home Bureau unit—Mrs. Clarence Bothe, hostess; all day meeting.

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Guest Speaker



"Conservation of the Human Needs" will be the program theme when Dixon Woman's club members meet at 2 o'clock tomorrow at St. Paul's Lutheran church. Mrs. Raymond Knapp of Chicago, who was graduated from the University of Chicago and did graduate work there in the department of social science and international relations, is being presented by the Indian welfare and conservation department of the club under the direction of Mrs. Earl Auman. Mrs. Knapp has worked with the Chicago relief administration on case work and was director of occupational therapy at Oak Forest infirmary at one time.

Saturday will be the club's annual guest day and all members are asked to take guests who are interested in the meeting and in the club.

ELIZABETH RUPPERT AND EUNICE MEANS AT CAMP MCCOY

Eunice E. Means, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Means, 911 West Third street, has reported to Camp McCoy, Wis., for basic training in the Army Nurse Corps. Miss Means, who entered the nurse corps with the rank of second lieutenant, has two brothers in service, one in the medical corps in France, and another who is attached to an armored division also in France. The latter was wounded last summer and has received the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star.

Another Dixon girl taking basic training at Camp McCoy in the army nurse corps is Lt. Elizabeth N. Ruppert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Ruppert, 616 Willet avenue. Elizabeth also has a brother in service, Henry C. Ruppert, fireman, first class, who is stationed aboard a LSM boat on active duty.

COUNCIL MEETING TO BE MARCH 19

The Dixon Council of Christian Education will hold its quarterly meeting at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening, March 19, in St. Paul's Lutheran church. There will be a scramble supper and each member and his family are invited to attend. Picnic rules will be observed.

WAWOKIYE CLUB
Eight members and six guests were present for the Wawokiye club meeting held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Ada Teeter. During the business meeting, conducted by the club's new president, Mrs. Foster Reese, it was agreed upon to give \$5 to the American Red Cross fund. Secret pal gifts were given to several members who celebrate birthdays this month. The next meeting is to be announced at a later date.

DIXON VISITOR
John Chiakulas of Chicago, who is an instructor with the Army air forces at Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., was a recent visitor at the Francis Hemminger home. Mr. Chiakulas and Mr. Hemminger were co-workers while instructors with the A. A. F. T. C. at Yale university at New Haven, Conn.

FROM MASSACHUSETTS
Mrs. Vernon Sutton, who is employed as a telephone operator at Camp Edwards, Mass., is home for a short visit with her brother, Pvt. Jesse Fordham, Jr., who is home on route to a post for overseas assignment.

Marjorie Tully Talks on Mexico for Evening Guild

Mrs. Anna Marie Baxley, Mrs. James Angell and Miss Marian Ahrens were hostesses at the home of Mrs. Baxley last evening to 24 members and several guests of St. Luke's Evening Guild.

Part of the business discussed concerned plans for a card party to be held shortly after Easter. Squares for a Red Cross afghan to be turned over to the production department of the Red Cross when completed, were turned in last night to the knitting chairman, Miss Katherine Wright. Mrs. Joseph C. Mason read interesting letters from friends who have recently been liberated from one of the prisons in Manila, after which, Miss Jean Hemmen introduced the speaker for the evening, Miss Marjorie Tully.

Miss Tully, who is the Spanish teacher at the Dixon high school, gave an excellent picture of life in Mexico, its beauties and culture, and of the friendly atmosphere she found while attending the University of Mexico in Mexico City last summer.

Her talk was quite timely in that she included interesting items about Mexico City and landmarks there which have been in the news recently during the Inter-American Conference.

Spring flowers centered the refreshment table at which Mrs. Mason presided when the hostesses served refreshments.

MRS. E. HINCHLIFF WILL TALK ON RED CROSS IN COMPTON

The March meeting of the Compton Woman's club will be held in the Methodist church in Compton Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Mrs. Edward C. Hinchliff, national committee member of the Red Cross, who resides in Rockford, will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Hinchliff will speak on the work of the Red Cross. Miss Mary Kuter, public welfare chairman, is arranging the program.

Hostesses for the evening will be Ida Archer, Sadie Wolf, Cora Beemer, Rilla Bauer and Emma Mehlbrech.

NACHUSA UNIT
The Nachusa Home Bureau unit will meet with Mrs. Clarence Bothe for an all day meeting on Tuesday, March 13. The February lesson will be given at 11 a. m. and will be followed by a scramble luncheon at noon and the March lesson in the afternoon.

RED CROSS NOTE
Starting next week, the Red Cross production room in Hotel Nachusa will only be open on Tuesday and Wednesdays from 1 to 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon for the convenience of knitters and sewers.

ON FURLOUGH
Pvt. Jesse Fordham, Jr., arrived in Dixon Tuesday evening from Fort McClellan, Ala., to spend a short furlough at his home before being assigned to overseas duty.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS
Lester A. Hill, Jr., grandson of Mrs. Jerry Hoyle, 618 Peoria avenue, has sent Mrs. Hoyle birthday greetings by way of a cablegram from his post overseas.

LUNCHEON
Mrs. Henry T. Noble entertained Thursday at luncheon in honor of Mrs. Alberta Smith of Springfield, who has been visiting her cousins, Mrs. Charles Leake and Mrs. Frank Philpott.

WINTER VACATION
Mrs. John Stephan (Ruth Walgreen) and son, John Jason Stephan of Westport, Conn., are guests at the Arizona Biltmore hotel in Arizona.

ENTERTAIN
Mr. and Mrs. William Steinwede will entertain guests Saturday evening.



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Home on Leave



Miss Freda Ebert, seaman, first class, of the WAVES, is spending a seven-day leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ebert of Palmyra township, after being graduated on Monday from the navy training school at Iowa State Teachers college at Cedar Falls, Ia. Miss Ebert now will be assigned to her new station as a yeoman.

MRS. SHIPPETT IS LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Twenty-six members and several guests of St. James Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Wiley Shippett in an all-day meeting Wednesday. A scramble luncheon was held at the noon hour with the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Guy Robinson and Mrs. Edward Whitney. The centerpiece for the luncheon table was a large birthday cake baked by one of the hostesses in honor of Mrs. Bess Miller, a past president.

Following a short business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. Barlow, and devotionals led by Charles Bremer, a short program was given by Mrs. Lillian Shippett and Mrs. Edith Bothe, who presented vocal solos and readings. Games were conducted by Mrs. Ethel Whitney and Mrs. Martha Nurnberg, the prizes being awarded to Mrs. Harriet Moore and Mrs. Stella Robinson. Two members were welcomed into the society.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Nurnberg on Wednesday, April 4. Mrs. Frank Buchman, Mrs. Walter Hoyle, and Mrs. Mathias Levan will have charge of the program that day.

TO SPRINGFIELD
Miss Alberta Smith, who has been the guest of her cousins, Mrs. Charles Leake and Mrs. Frank Philpott, left today for her home in Springfield, Ill.

IN CHICAGO
Dr. and Mrs. Warren G. Murray and daughter, Jean, are in Chicago.

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SEVENTEEN CHUCKLE BOOKS COMPLETED

Seventeen chuckle books were packed yesterday by women of the Prairieville Social circle when they met for an all day meeting and luncheon at the home of Mrs. William Costle. The chuckle books will be sent to the Dixon Woman's club and through them to Chicago where they are distributed through several channels to servicemen's centers.

The circle will meet again at the church on April 11 for an all day meeting.

Suggest Equalization of Property Rates

Chicago, March 9. — (AP)—Equalization of all Illinois real and personal property assessments at full cash value is recommended to Gov. Green and the legislature by a joint legislative committee investigating tax problems in the state.

The committee, which made known its recommendations in a report yesterday, also proposed establishment of appointive offices of county assessment supervisors in all but Cook and St. Clair counties.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Nurnberg on Wednesday, April 4. Mrs. Frank Buchman, Mrs. Walter Hoyle, and Mrs. Mathias Levan will have charge of the program that day.

NOTICE!

If you have any playing cards—new or old—that you feel like donating to the wounded service men now at Hines hospital, please send them to The Dixon Evening Telegraph. We will see that they reach our service men.

The supervisors would coordinate the work of township assessors and cooperate with the state revenue department.

Reduction of existing statutory tax rate limitations one-half be expressed in terms of full value. A bill embracing these recommendations will be introduced in the legislature Tuesday by Sen. Walker Butler (R-Chicago) committee chairman.

Equalization of assessments under the proposal would apply:

1. To all local taxes.
2. To any state property tax in the event one is again levied.
3. To state assessment of rail-

roads and public utility property. Appointed by Gov. Green last May, the committee made a study of state general assessment and other problems which followed Cook county's adoption of the 100 per cent factor in property assessment.

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BOWLING BITS

By "FRIDAY"

Commercial Leaders Lose Ground with Seven Games Separating the First Six Fives. Frank Daschbach's 578 High. Lincoln Lanes Leads Gain Ground. Carl Becker High with 609. Amanda Smith's 625 Takes First in Mixed Singles.

Carsons "66" won two games from the leading Three Aces in the Commercial league last night, holding the Aces to 40 wins and 29 losses, with the Olmets taking third with 36-33. Everett Brown led Carsons with 487 and George Scott was high for his Three Aces with 519.

Dixon Telegraph held Reynolds to second with 38-31 by taking the Wrennens three games. Joe Miller, Pender Fixers, with Frank Daschbach high for the Town Housers with 558 and John Smith's 544 topped Sparkys.

Lloyds won two from the Dixon Hatchery with Fred Miller's 453 high for Lloyds and Paul Joynet leading the Hatchery with 480.

Frank Daschbach had the high series of the night with 558 and high games were Daschbach 214, John Smith 201.

Controllers added another point to their lead in the Lincoln Lanes loop by winning three from the Pender Fixers. The Pender Fixers now have 40 wins and 20 losses, six games out in front. Shimmers dropping to seventh with 26-34. Elmer Pahnke was high for Controllers with 598 and Frank Kobak led Shimmers with 493.

K. C. held their second place spot with 34-26 after winning two from Warners, the latter ending in fourth with 29-31. Carl Becker was high for the Caseys with 609 and high Emmert led Warners with 564.

Erzingers tightened their hold on third with 31-29 by taking two from Schultes, dropping the latter to sixth with 27-33. Ted Schulte led his Harvest with 494 and 531 was high for Erzingers.

The Whiz Kids rolled into a tie with Warners for fourth with 29-31 by taking all three games from the Country Hicks. Zentz led the Bowers crew with 525 and C. Morris was high for the Hicks with 485.

Carl Becker had the high series with 609, a new individual record, and high games were Emmert 200-208, Becker 206-211, Shultz 208, and Pahnke 216. Controllers rolled a new team series mark with 3985.

In the mixed singles at the Recreation Amanda Smith came in first with 625; Orville Legore second, 606, and Art Dewey third, 596. Amanda also had the most actual pins with 553, and Eugene Barriage rolled the high game of the night with 211 in her second set. The men came into their own last night with only three out of the first 10 places, being girl keepers.

Tonight in the Major league the ten high averages are:

Clell Weldman 182
John Lange 180
Ken Steinhilber 180
Hermie Koehler 179
Lyne Fordham 179
Walt Klein 178

Tomorrow we're saying goodbye to our friend across-the-gully, Bob Fallstrom, who's leaving on a tour with his Uncle Sam Sports. Bob stepped into the sport editor's job at the Telegraph on his graduation from D. H. S. last year, and surprised everyone in the shop with his talent for sport writing. His column Bobtail Sports, high-lighting a sport game that drew many favorable comments on his ability. We'll all miss him and hope he isn't gone too long. Once more we call Bill Pezger's attention to the fact that Ed Sumner failed to send in the high ten averages of the I. N. U. league. The most consistent bowler last night was George Bishop with 152-152-152. Mike Decker rolled him a close second with 182-180-182. At Lincoln Lanes Will Wagner going into the match with a 124 average, proved it was just about right when he came up with 124-125-123. The reason Homer Erzinger is going around in a trance today is that 192 game he rolled in the first set last night, a new high. Two lessons in the Lincoln Lanes league were sent by one on last night. Warners taking their second from K. C.'s 966-965 and Erzingers winning the last tilt from Schulte, 905-904.

In the Commercial league The Dixon Telegraph eked out their third win from Reynolds Wire by two points, 905 to 903.

Team: Won Lost
Three Aces 40 29
Reynolds Wire 38 31
Carsons "66" 36 33
Sparkys/Fenders 35 34
Peter Pipers 34 35
Dixon Telegraph 33 36
Lloyds Independents 31 38
Dixon Hatchery 28 41

Individual Records
High game—Joe Miller 637
High series—Joe Miller 637

Team Records
High game—Lloyds 1067
Peter Pipers 1067
High series—Reynolds Wire 2979
Carsons 2979

Carson 148 167 131 446
Ommen 152 179 147 478
Hartzell 176 163 144 483
Cook ave. 173 173 173 519
Brown 168 174 145 437
Handicap 124 111 111 342
Totals 931 970 834 2755

Three Aces 1 2 3 Tot.
Dempsey 126 161 143 430
Vivian 144 156 150 450
Scott 147 188 184 519
Jones ave. 152 152 152 456
E. Mercer 158 178 168 492
Handicap 138 135 138 414
Totals 872 964 885 2721

Reynolds 1 2 3 Tot.
Worton 107 126 145 378
R. Winebrenner 163 137 142 442
Legore 148 175 125 448
McCollum 191 126 178 495
C. Winebrenner 158 152 190 500
Handicap 125 122 122 369
Totals 890 869 903 2632

Telegraph 1 2 3 Tot.
Moore 146 166 173 485
Shoaf 129 182 120 431
Mercer ave. 167 167 167 501
Harshbarger 175 146 137 458
Miller 167 175 175 517
Handicap 125 125 125 375
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Peter Pipers	1	2	3	Tot.
Vorhies	177	188	176	541
Dusting	182	182	182	546
Dierker	180	180	182	542
Bondi	135	156	156	447
Daschbach	180	214	184	578
Handicap	106	108	106	318
Totals	921	969	935	2825
Sparkys	1	2	3	Tot.
Witzel	156	153	176	485
Nelson	136	178	150	464
Campbell	166	172	152	490
Bubrick	171	140	171	482
Smith	201	187	186	574
W. Jones	122	122	122	366
Handicap	122	122	122	366
Totals	952	932	927	2811

Lloyds	1	2	3	Tot.
Lloyd	158	135	132	425
Rhodes	141	143	139	423
Hill	188	146	114	419
Miller	127	156	170	453
Handicap	219	219	213	651
Totals	962	902	913	2777
Dix Hatchery	1	2	3	Tot.
Bishop	152	152	152	456
Joynt	145	185	150	480
Hoescher	91	141	164	396
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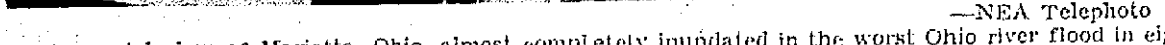
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Team—	Won	Lost		Somonauk 55, Normal 41.
Controllers	40	20	Joliet	
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Erzingers	31	29	Morton (Chicago) 43, Joliet 33.	
Warners	29	31	Moline	
Schultes	27	33	Kankakee 46, Morrison 38.	
Shimmers	26	31	Moline 47, Alpha 36.	
Bowers	29	31	Galesburg	
Country Hicks	24	36	Galesburg 39, Macomb 36.	
Individual Records				Canton 55, Macomb 41.
High game—Patterson	253		Elgin	
Second—Pete Miller	211		Wheaton 47, Niles 34.	
High series—Becker	609		Elgin 55, Waterman 50.	

Warners	1	2	3	Tot.
P. Miller	156	149	133	438
Whitebread	131	145	174	450
Volke	129	155	138	422
Emmert	202	208	154	564
Handicap	159	159	159	477
Totals	915	964	914	2793
Burke	147	145	151	443
Gleason	177	133	140	450
Becker	192	206	211	609
Prindaville	173	184	151	508
Handicap	145	145	145	435
Totals	1010	965	986	2961

Schultes	1	2	3	Tot.
Backbarrth	159	133	125	417
Legore	168	124	144	436
Schultes	180	141	173	494
Wolfman	120	125	123	368
Dunbar	158	170	144	472
Handicap	145	145	145	435
Totals	985	895	904	2784
Erzingers	1	2	3	Tot.
Shultz	140	208	183	531
Hicks	174	105	119	408
Erzinger	192	136	132	460
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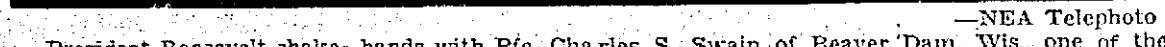
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Wohrley	150	148	198	496
Heaton	139	103	108	350
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Zentz	152	190	153	495
Handicap	217	217	217	651
Totals	950	950	916	2816
Hicks	1	2	3	Tot.
H. Morris	172	129	149	450
Pouma	166	96	130	391
Hoban	114	141	131	386
Hintz	107	145	145	397
C. Morris	160	146	179	485
Handicap	208	208	208	624
Totals	927	867	880	2674

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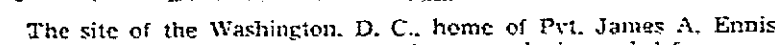
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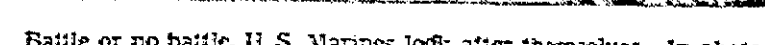
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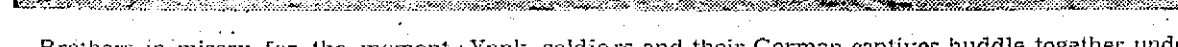


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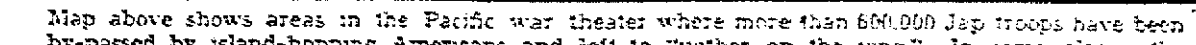
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DIRECTORY OF DIXON CHURCHES

GEMS OF THOUGHT
ADVANCEMENT
I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving.
—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

See first that the design is wise and just; that ascertained, pursue it resolutely; do not for one repulse forego the purpose that you resolved to effect.
—Shakespeare.

In actual life every great enterprise begins with and takes its first forward step in faith.
—Schlegel.

If we are not secretly yearning and openly striving for the accomplishment of all we ask, our prayers are "vain repetitions," such as the heathen use.
—Mary Baker Eddy.

Social progress makes the well-being of all more and more the business of each; it binds all closer and closer together in bonds from which none can escape.
—Henry George.

Let us labor for that larger comprehension of truth, and that more thorough repudiation of error, which shall make the history of mankind a series of ascending developments.
—Horace Mann.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
321 West Second Street
Regular Sunday morning service at 11. Subject, "Man."
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Children to the age of 20 are welcome. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.
Christian Science radio program at 1 p. m. every Saturday; station WJJD, Chicago.

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
N. Dixon Ave. and E. Morgan St.
Rev. Ronald French, pastor
Sunday masses at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST
J. H. Hughes, D. D., pastor
Bible school 9:45, John Russell and Ansel Youngblood, superintendents.
Worship with preaching at 10:45 and at 4:30. The pastor will speak at both hours. Young people's meeting at 5:30.
Mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30. Dr. Hughes will speak. Group meetings and conferences at 8:15.

BETHEL UNITED EVANGELICAL
N. Galena and Morgan St.
N. J. Broadway, pastor
9:45 Bible school.
10:45 Worship, "Job's Sure Knowledge."
6:45 Young People's meeting.
7:30 Evening service, "Quickening Power."
2:15 Thursday, prayer in behalf of those in the service.

CONGREGATIONAL (West Side)
W. H. Lewis, Pastor
9:30 a. m., Sunday school, Charles Yeager, superintendent.
10:30 a. m., morning worship. Sermon theme, "Our Years and How We Spend Them."
6:30 p. m., Young People's meeting.
7:30 p. m., evening worship. Sermon theme, "Watching and Praying."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Nachusa)
9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the Rev. LeRoy F. Weihe.
Anyone wishing to donate something for the box which the missionary society is packing for Second Lt. Elsie Torti of the Army Nurses Corps may leave such donations at the Wesley Hockman home.

SAINT LUKE'S (Episcopal)
Peoria Avenue and Third Street
Rev. Joseph C. Mason, rector
8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Church school, beginners and primary.
10:00 a. m. Church school, juniors and seniors.
10:45 a. m. Choral morning prayer and sermon by the rector. The Christian Doctrine of God: God and Economics.

7:45 p. m. Union Lenten service at St. Paul's Lutheran church, with the Rev. John M. Hubbard, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church, Park Ridge, as guest preacher.
Vestry regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, 7:30 p. m., at the rector's study.
Wednesday services: Holy Communion at 7 and 10 a. m. the latter with special wartime intercessions.
The guest preacher at the mid-week Lenten service, Wednesday at 7:45 p. m., will be the Rev. James M. Duncan, rector of the Church of the Atonement, Chicago. St. Agnes Guild members will meet at the Red Cross sewing

rooms on Friday from 2 until 4 p. m.
A memorial service for Paul Reynolds, who died in military service, will be held at the church on Sunday afternoon, March 18.

CHURCH OF GOD
West Morgan Street
Alan McLain, pastor
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 Morning worship. Vivian Kirkpatrick, a teacher in the Oregon Bible College and minister, will speak.

GRACE EVANGELICAL
North Ottawa and East Fellows
George D. Nielsen, minister
9:45 a. m. Sunday school service.
10:45 a. m. Divine worship. Sermon by the pastor. The Senior choir will sing Wilson's anthem "God Hath Spoken." Mrs. Wilbur Schreindor, contralto, will sing "Calvary" by Paul Rodney. (Mission Band meets in church parlors during this service.)
7:00 p. m. Young Peoples League. Leader: Miss Mary Jane Boynton. Topic, "Renewal Through Public Worship."

7:45 p. m. Gospel Service. Message by the pastor. Special music by the Senior choir and orchestra. R. F. Willbrandt will sing "He's Looking on You" by George S. Schuler.
Tuesday, 2:30 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society meeting at the church.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Lenten prayer service-two groups. 8:30 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.
Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Mothers' council monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lyle Melvin, 422 E. Fellows St., with Mrs. John Rohr assisting.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
B. B. Cartwright, pastor
9:30 Church school. R. M. Ferguson, supt.
10:45 Morning worship. Sermon, "Overcoming Fear." Special Lenten music by the choir under the direction of Mrs. R. A. Joelyn.
6:30 Westminster Youth Fellowship at the church.
7:45 Union Lenten service at St. Paul's Lutheran church Monday, 2:00, meeting of Rock River Presbytery at Rock Island. Commissioners, Rev. B. B. Cartwright and Elder L. G. Yenerich.
Wednesday, 7:15, Senior choir practice.
Thursday, 8:00, Women's Association meeting at the home of Mrs. L. F. Braman. 7:30, Mid-week Lenten service.
Saturday, 1:00, Junior choir practice 2:00, Pastor's catechism class.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE TABERNACLE
Fifth and Ottawa
9:30, Sunday school. Tom Moll, superintendent.
10:45, Morning worship.
6:30, Young People's meeting.
7:30, Evangelistic service.
Rev. Carl R. Thomas, district superintendent of Chicago, will be the speaker at the above services.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
Member
American Lutheran Church
521 Highland Avenue
C. L. Wagner, pastor
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Miss Edna Gerdes, superintendent.
Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. with sermon by the pastor.
Mid-week Lenten service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.
Pastor's catechetical class Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

DIXON MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION
The regular monthly meeting of the Association will convene Monday, March 12th, at 10:00 a. m. Place of meeting, the pastor's study First Methodist church.

LEE A. M. E. CHURCH
509 West Seventh St.
Rev. J. E. Gaylor, pastor
9:30 a. m. Sunday school. Rev. M. Ashford, superintendent.
7:30 p. m. Evening service.
Tuesday evening prayer meeting and official board.
We have launched a five hundred dollar drive which will close the second Sunday in June. Captains:
No. 1, Rev. J. E. Gaylor; No. 2, Mrs. Delena Kadogan; No. 3, Mrs. Eva C. Mack; No. 4, Mrs. Ella Buggs; No. 5, Mrs. Maggie Ashford; No. 6, Mrs. P. Ashford; No. 7, Mrs. Julia Stewart; No. 8, Mrs. Bessie Sikes; No. 9, Mrs. Selcst McNinch.
The money is to be used for the decoration of our church. Eva Cook Mack is secretary; Delena Kadogan, treasurer.

FOUR SQUARE CHURCH
607 West Seventh Street
Rev. Vernon and Leola Robinson, pastors
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning service, 10:45 a. m.
Crusader service, 7:00 p. m.
Evangelistic service, 7:45 p. m.

Meditation

(By Dr. Floyd L. Blewfield, Pastor of the First Methodist Church)
The experiences of an increasing number of people of both the Catholic and Protestant faiths has proven beyond all doubt that there are real and immediate values related to a strict and reasonable observance of that period of the church calendar known as Lent. It seems both logical and desirable for our Christian people everywhere to practice self-denial and self-restraint most vigorously during the period of the year that the church universal is observing the forty days of passion in the life of our Lord just prior to his crucifixion. However, if all of our self-denial and all of our self-discipline in the interest of the things of God and the Church are confined to the Lenten season only, we lose a large part of the real purpose of Lent.

One of four of my sons-in-law in the armed forces of the U. S. is in that difficult and hard fighting branch of the service familiarly known as the infantry. During his basic training and maneuvering experiences he was required to toughen his physical and mental powers of endurance to what seems to most of us an impossible extent. For instance, he had to learn to sleep standing upon his feet with only a tree or post for support. He finally got to where he could actually sleep for several hours in this seemingly impossible position. Was this done to help him better appreciate a soft bed when he got back to the camp or when he went home on leave? Of course not! It was done to better prepare him for the fight that he is now in over in Europe.

Just so it is in relation to the observance of Lent as a season of strict self-denial and self-discipline. It is not to help us appreciate better a selfish and easy life immediately following Lent. It is rather to prepare us better for the strain upon our christian character that we must face in the days ahead; days that are sure to extend far beyond the Lenten season of 1945.

God grant that as Christians of all faiths we will observe Lent this year for what it will mean to us when later we face the severe tests of the battlefield in our war against sin, the flesh and the devil.
FLOYD L. BLEWFIELD.

BRETHREN CHURCH
William E. Thompson, Pastor
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Divine worship conducted by the pastor at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Russell Jones will play "Nearer My God to Thee." The choir procession will be "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." The pastor will speak on the subject of "Jesus on Trial."

Departmental work at 7:30. The open forum discussion will be directed by Sam Zimmerman, and the young people will meet in their usual work. A mass meeting will be conducted at 8:15 when the Jubilee Male quartet of Haldane assisted by Mrs. Wayne Gerdes, will give a program.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Second Street at Peoria Avenue
Floyd L. Blewfield, D. D., Pastor
9:45 a. m., church school. Leon Garrison, superintendent.
10:45 a. m., public worship. Organ, "Prayer of St. Chrysostom," Weaver—Crawford Thomas; anthem, "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked." Ohara—the senior choir; offertory, "Pastorale," Clewell—Mr. Thomas; anthem, "Above the Clear Blue Sky," Emerson—"The Youth choir; sermon, "Judas Speaks," Dr. Blewfield (a Lenten message); organ, "Postlude,"—Rinck.

A nursery is conducted during this service for the convenience of parents with little children.
6:30 p. m., Methodist Youth Fellowship lunch and devotional meeting.
7:45 p. m., union Lenten service at St. Paul's Lutheran church.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Hennepin and Second
Albert I. Martin, minister
The church school meets at 9:30. Public worship at 10:30.
Organ numbers by Miss Lois Fellows and the choir under the direction of Mrs. A. P. Tice, will sing "The King of Love My

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

The Kingdom of God, as Proclaimed By Jesus, Demands Full Allegiance
Text: Matthew 19

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
A cynical politician once said, "Every man has his price." It was said upon good men, but if he had said that everything has its price, in the sense that everything that is worth while costs something, he would have been nearer the truth.

For everything does cost something; and this is, perhaps, most true of the things that we most commonly call "free." Our "free" government has cost pioneers of freedom who fought for their rights and liberties immense cost in suffering and sacrifice. The defense of our freedom is costing oceans of blood and sacrifice at the present time. The "free" schools to which our children go are a heavy, and I hope a happy, charge upon our taxes. The taxes themselves are an evidence of the cost of the service, and all the advantages of civilized living, that we enjoy.

And what is true of all these "free" benefits of our daily life and environment is true of our souls' salvation and of our spiritual life. God so loved the world that He gave His Son; Jesus died that we might have life and redemption; prophets, priests, and saints have made their sacrifices of love for the heritage that we enjoy.

We are conscious today of what earthly kingdoms demand of their citizens, and even of those who are not citizens, or

with the Reverend John Hubbard of Chicago as the speaker.

Events for Next Week
Tuesday—Wesleyan Society scramble supper meeting at the church at 6:30 p. m. The program will include a chalk talk by Glenn Spute and the showing of pictures on England and France by Prof. Miller.
Wednesday—The youth choir will rehearse at the church at 4:15 p. m. and the senior choir at 7:15 p. m. Beede Men's Bible class will meet with Vernon Mays, 309 Lincoln Way, at 7:30 p. m.
Thursday—General meeting of the W. S. C. S. at the church at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Catherine Frye, superintendent of Peek home, will tell of her work with Italians and negroes. Circle 1 will serve refreshments. The Young Women's Guild will meet with Miss Lucille Heckman, 320 Poplar St., with Dixie Lee Bates as assisting hostess. Miss Esther Barton will speak. This church will unite with the Presbyterians in a mid-week Lenten service to be held at the First Presbyterian church on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
Friday, 7:30 p. m., Boy Scout Court of Honor in this church.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
9:30 a. m., Sunday school. Walter E. White, superintendent.
10:45 a. m., Worship and installation of Pastor Curran. Sermon and installation by the Rev. Armin G. Weng, Ph. D., D. D., president of Illinois Synod of the United Lutheran church.
6:30 p. m., Luther League. Rev. Curran will be the speaker.
7:45 p. m., Union Lenten service in this church. The Rev. John E. Hubbard, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church in Park Ridge will be the speaker.
Tuesday, 7:45 p. m., a book review, sponsored by Congress No. 16, to which all women are cordially invited.
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., Mid-week Lenten service.
Saturday, 1:30 p. m., Confirmation instruction.

DIXON STATE HOSPITAL
Services at 3:15 p. m. in charge of the Rev. C. L. Wagner.

Carviano Occupied by Driving Fifth Army

Rome, March 9—(AP)—U. S. Fifth Army troops closing in on the German highway stronghold of Vergato, 17 1/2 miles southwest of Bologna, have occupied Carviano, about a mile east of their objective allied headquarters announced today.

The push, although slowed somewhat by the enemy in the last 24 hours, was the closest approach yet to Vergato, which has held out against allied attacks for four months.

The nazis, meanwhile, stepped up their artillery fire against the U. S. 10th Mountain Division's newly won positions bordering the Bologna-Pistoia highway, as well as allied positions farther west in the Serchio valley.

A twin-engine plane burning 87 octane fuel can climb at the rate of 1,000 feet a minute, but with 100 octane its climb is increased to 1,400 feet a minute.

Production of military vehicles and parts by the automotive industry amounted to \$2,500,000,000 in 1944.

Each man, during the first 10 days, must choose whether he wants to volunteer for assignment in essential industry or assignment in the Army. If it's industry, he will be transferred to the enlisted reserve corps and work

'Work or Fighters' Enjoy Music With Camp Ellis Meals

Inductees Classified as "Good Soldiers" by Training Leader

Camp Ellis, Ill., March 9—(AP)—Music with meals periodically brightens the routine for "work or fight" inductees training at Camp Ellis.

It's an idea initiated by the camp commander, Col. John S. Sullivan, a year ago, long before the "work or fighters" arrived at the remote camp, 55 miles southwest of Peoria. The colonel directed that the camp band split into four or five place units and make the rounds of enlisted men's mess halls, playing usually during the noon mess.

When the first "work or fight" men arrived, five weeks ago he said they, too, should have the enjoyment of the occasional music. When newsmen toured the camp to see the new training program a five-piece negro swing combination put on a veritable jam session in one mess hall where "work or fighters" hadchow.

There are only 164 of these men in camp now, with more arriving daily and a training cadre of 235 officers and 600 enlisted men set up to handle 5,000 inductees in two regiments. This is the only camp in the nation handling physically deficient "work or fighters."

These trainees are under 35, do not meet physical standards for general military service and were inducted by their local selective boards under the Byrnes "work or fight" order because they either left or were not in essential jobs.

Classed as "Soldiers" As far as the Army is concerned, however, they are "soldiers like any other man in uniform," said Colonel Sullivan and Maj. Gen. Russel B. Reynolds, commanding the Sixth Service Command.

One trainee interviewed by the newsmen, Pvt. Lester Lax, 32, single, a railroad fireman from Louisville, Ky., said he was A-F because of a lung condition but since he was inducted under the "work or fight" program and arrived here the Army medics have told him this condition has cleared up.

"I'll be classified for general service and I'll go to Fort Sheridan pretty quick," he said. "Then I'll try to get in a railroad battalion."

While the newsmen watched the inductees flopped in the snow and mud in extended order drill, pitched tents, squatted and grunted and did push-ups in physical conditioning work, fired rifles on the range, faced right, left and about in close order drill and marched smartly, considering their greenness, at retreat. And most of them took it all with a grin.

"Their attitude and desire to learn how to be a soldier is better than the average ordinary inductee," said Col. Joseph E. Torrence, director of training.

"They're Good Soldiers" A marksmanship instructor offered a \$3 prize to any of the first eight men completing the four weeks' training who qualified as a marksman. It cost the officer \$24 because all eight qualified, two as experts.

Each man, during the first 10 days, must choose whether he wants to volunteer for assignment in essential industry or assignment in the Army. If it's industry, he will be transferred to the enlisted reserve corps and work

Preacher



DR. JOHN B. HUBBARD

Rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church, Park Ridge, who will be the preacher at the fourth of a series of union Lenten services to be held in St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Fr. Hubbard is a graduate of the University of Michigan and Princeton Theological Seminary. He has been rector at Park Ridge for fourteen years and is chairman of the department of Christian Education of the diocese of Chicago and a lecturer at Seabury Western seminary in Evanston. He was past grand chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Illinois A. F. & A. M. for two years. Fr. Hubbard has spoken several times in Dixon, and his return as guest preacher will be welcomed. His sermon subject Sunday night will be "Hard Facts."

in a war plant at civilian wages. If it's the Army he may be assigned to work in an Army arsenal in uniform at Army pay, or be sent to some other military installation.

Fifty have made the choice so far. Only eight elected to stay in the Army. The training is similar to the ordinary inductee's six weeks basic training, with modifications to allow for these trainees' physical condition. They are allowed one overnight pass during the four weeks.

Magdeburg, capital of the province of Saxony, which was nearly leveled by Allied aerial bombs, was almost wiped off the map more than three centuries ago during the Thirty Years War.

"Able's Irish Rose" played under the name "Block of Chicago" in France; and "Mariage in Triplicate" in England.

Dilemma

Milwaukee.—(AP)—Maj. Stephen Sitter, arriving in San Francisco after nearly three years in a Jap prison camp in the Philippines, telephoned his wife and two young sons.
Nine-year-old Steve remembered his father, but Larry, 5, was just excited. After the call, Larry rushed back to the telephone, called his grandmother and exclaimed breathlessly: "What do you think, Grandma? Mother's husband is coming home!"

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Miss Warren Shook, Mrs. Merlin Shook and Mrs. Ralph Lizer received word yesterday that their brother, Major Robert Arnold was killed in action in Germany while serving with the field artillery. Major Arnold is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Arnold of Cerro Gordo, Ill.

Mrs. Warren Shook and Mrs. Merlin Shook left Thursday noon to visit their parents at Cerro Gordo.

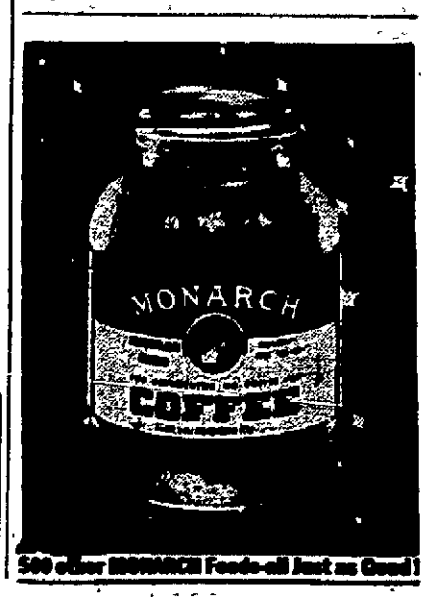
Mrs. Hazel Roller entertained her bridge club to dinner at Kable Inn Wednesday evening. After dinner the ladies went to her home and played bridge. Those attending were Mrs. Gertrude Hanke, Miss Lulu Buss, Mrs. Margaret Crawford, Mrs. Minnie Stillman, Mrs. Gladys Johnston, Mrs. Gladys Edson, Mrs. Etta Colvin.

H. S. Calendar for 1945

- March 9—School dance sponsored by sophomores.
- March 15-17—State final basketball tournament.
- March 16—F. F. A. banquet.
- March 19—Assembly program by F. F. A., 12:25.
- March 23—Peppster banquet.
- March 24—Sectional speech contests.
- March 30 and April 2—Easter vacation.
- April 3-7—North Central Association meeting in Chicago.
- April 6—School dance sponsored by freshmen.
- April 13—Senior play; close of fifth term.
- April 14—School election.
- April 16—Assembly program by Home Ec. club, 12:25.
- April 20—Musical program.
- April 21—District music contests.
- May 4—Junior-senior banquet.
- May 12—District track and field golf meet.
- May 18—School dance sponsored by student council.
- May 20—Baccalaureate.
- May 21—Senior program, 12:25.
- May 24—Final day of school.
- May 25—High school commencement.

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Harmon to Have 4-H Club
The Harmon community will have a boys' and girls' 4-H club this year. The club will be under the leadership of Rev. Hobbs. The first meeting was held Wednesday evening, March 7th. Rev. Hobbs is interested in boys and girls, and this club will be open to all in the Harmon community. If you have a boy or girl from 10 to 20 years old or who is interested in 4-H club work, be sure to have them contact the leadership, Rev. Hobbs. There was a short talk by the county 4-H leader and motion pictures followed.

The following program was presented at the Merchant school Friday evening:
Song—School.
Duet—Jim Jackson and Herbert Gerdes.
Tap dance—Mary Kay Powers.
Trio—Joan Lally, June Kent, Donna Powers.
Song—By third grade pupils.
Playlet—"Junior's Detective Stories" (Gladys Jacobs), upper grades.
Trio—Marian Mau, Elaine Kerchner, Margaret Benson.
Talk and movies—Mrs. Haeglock, county health nurse.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thrasher and Mr. and Mrs. John Gale went to LaBelle, Mo. Tuesday, called there by the death of Mrs. Thrasher's and Mrs. Gales father, T. L. Allen.

Harmon Briefs
Miss Jennie Charvat of Chicago spent the past week in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Charvat.
Emmitt Root of Minneapolis, Minn., was an over-Sunday visitor in the home of his brother-in-law, Leroy Morsey.
Guests in the Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Porcher home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dean of Como, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fortner of Rock Falls, the John Schaefer family of Franklin Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Jacobs and daughters.
Miss Norma Knudson submitted to an appendectomy at the Dixon hospital Monday.

Alfred Clatworthy and Mrs. Donald Gildean spent Wednesday in Dixon.
Mrs. T. P. Long is spending a few weeks in the home of Mrs. James Ryan at Dixon.

Mrs. Martin Oakland, who has been quite ill of pneumonia in the Princeton hospital is much improved.

Charles Hopkins moved his family to the Lee Renner farm near New Bedford where he is employed.

Miss Lenore Koford will be hostess to the Harmon unit of the Home Bureau club at her home March 15, for an all-day meeting.

Win Consolation Trophy
On March 2 the Harmon Hornets defeated the Ashton Aces 23 to 19 in an overtime game. At the end of the fourth quarter the score was 17 to 17. After which the players rested for 2 minutes and were then given three minutes in which to finish the game. As soon as they resumed play Considine of the Hornets took the ball, dribbled down the floor and made a basket. The Ashton team retaliated by scoring two points. With the help of a little luck Smallwood scored four more points and the game ended with a 23 to 19 score in Harmon's favor.

The Harmon grades have won the consolation for the three years. The players this year were Lowell Smallwood, Russel Willstead, Loyde Considine, Dean Powers, Orville Schaefer, Michael McCormick.

The cheer leaders were Milly Moore, Ann McCoy, Wilma Schaefer.
The drivers were Lloyd Considine, Ray Crady, Joel Lehman Clifford Volk.

Last but not least, was the coach, Professor Lehman.

Woman's Society of Christian Service

On Thursday, March 1, seventeen members of the Harmon W. S. C. S. met at the home of Miss Carolyn Watkins.

After a delicious scrambled dinner, the meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Eleanor Watkins.
Secretary and treasurer's reports were read and approved.
Song—"I'm Praying for You."
Reports of various officers were given. Our missionary secretary, Miss Lenore Koford, gave an interesting talk about a prominent missionary to India, Dr. Ida Scudder.

The secretary of local activities, Mrs. Lulu Hicke, told of bills up before congress suggesting we write our congressman of our views. Also told of the request for scrapbooks for soldiers to be sent to U. S. O's.

Mrs. Ethel Dietz gave a report of a meeting of officers at Springfield.

Program, "Three Lives in South-east Asia," was conducted by Mrs. Ethel Dietz assisted by Mrs. Harold Dietz.
Devotional theme entitled, "Hast Thou Not Known?" was led by Miss Lenore Koford.
Meeting was then adjourned.

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Past Matrons' Club
Mrs. Willis Smith will be hostess to the Past Matrons' club of Sinissippi chapter O. E. S. Monday evening at a scramble supper.

Listed as Prisoner
American soldiers listed in a Chicago paper Wednesday as prisoners of the Germans, included the name of Lieut. Robert O. Weidman of Jxonia, Wis. His mother, Mrs. Tena Potgeter Weidman was formerly a resident of Oregon.

Anniversary Dinner
Messdames Jon Neuswanger, Donald Brooke, Gene Lebowich and Dwight Mackay were entertained at a dinner party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Geo. Crawford in Dixon in observance of the birthday of Mrs. Neuswanger.

Purchased Residence
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Driver have purchased the residence property on South Third street known as the Sheaff home. The

who has been visitors of Mrs. Redfoot's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William de Lhorbe, have gone to Fredonia, Pa., to visit his parents before leaving early in April to return to Aruba, Netherlands, West Indies.

Parents of Son
Friends have received an announcement of the birth of a son March 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Ferrell of Holbrook, Neb. Mrs. Ferrell is the former Orpha LeMasurier and was formerly employed here as secretary of the National Bible Institution. Her husband is a graduate of Oregon Bible college and has a pastorate at a Church of God at Holbrook.

Personal
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Redfoot, daughter Phyllis and son John

who was speaker at the closing series of programs of the Sunday Evening club at the Methodist church, the club committee members, their husbands and wives at the Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Randall have moved to the residence on South Fourth street, purchased by Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Knapp from the estate of the late Josephine Southworth.

Roland E. Miller of Whiting, Ind., joined his wife here for the week end at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Thibault. Mrs. Miller

returned home with her husband after a ten day visit here.
Harriett R. Snyder, recently commissioned second lieutenant in the army nurse's corps, has reported for duty at Camp McCoy, Wis.

Mrs. F. L. Austin and Dr. Leila Whitehead were Chicago visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLennan have had with them this week their small grandson, David Miller of Elmhurst.

Horace Chasm, Y-3/c U. S. Navy left Sunday to return to the west coast after two weeks furlough at home.

Mrs. Walter Berg was visited Saturday and Sunday by her sister, Mrs. Martha Coolidge of Chicago.

Mrs. May Cleaver was a Sunday visitor of her daughter Mrs. Gordon Overstreet in Dixon.

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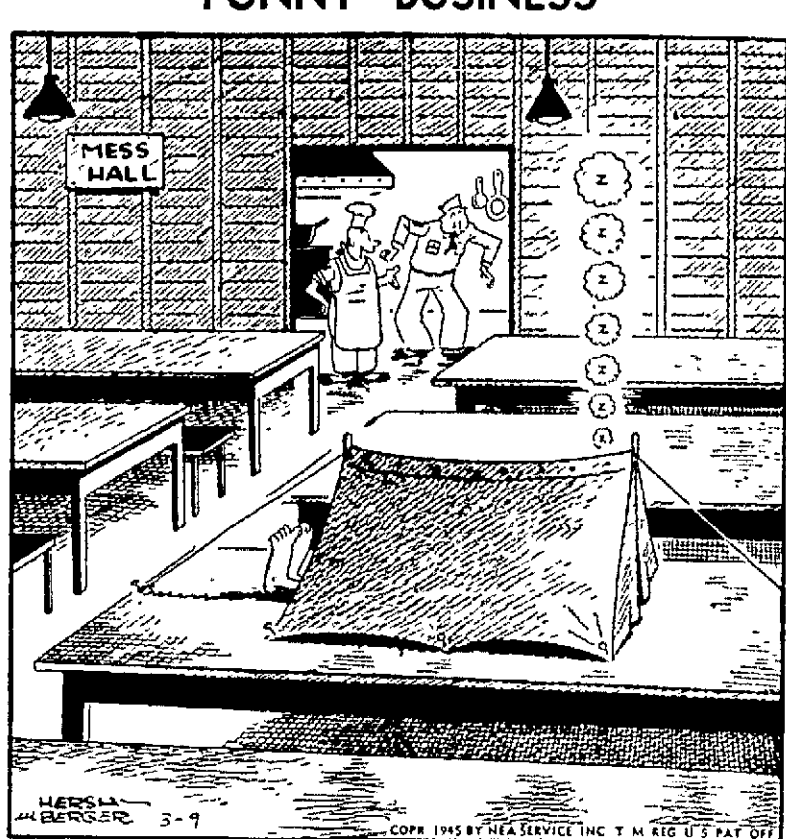
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6:15 Late News of the World—WMAQ
Friday on Broadway—WBBM

6:30 Lone Ranger—WLS
Supper Music—WMAQ
H. V. Kaitenborn—WMAQ

7:00 Highways in Melody—WMAQ
Aldrich Family—WBBM
Stars of the Future—WLS

7:30 Freedom of Opportunity—WGN
Variations by Van Cleave—WGN
Duffy's Tavern—WMAQ

The Thin Man—WBBM
8:00 Pays to Be Ignorant—WBBM
Frank Munz—WMAQ

Gabe Hearn—WGN
Novena—WFL
Famous Jury Trials—WBBM

8:30 People Are Funny—WMAQ
The Volsteads—WBBM
Double or Nothing—WGN

Spotlight Band—WBBM
9:00 Garry Moore; Jim Durante—WBBM
Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ

9:30 Canteen—WBBM
Whirligig—WBBM
Bill Stern—WMAQ

10:00 Super Club—WMAQ
Songs You Remember—WGN
Jack Kirkwood—WBBM

10:15 So the Story Goes—WBBM
Herbie Mintz—WBBM
Eugene Reed—WBBM

10:30 Music Lovers—WCFL
Just For Fun—WMAQ
10:45 Fulton Lewis—WGN

Serenade—WBBM
Moods in Melody—WMAQ
Doctors Talk It Over—WBBM

11:00 The Last Word—WBBM
News—WGN, WBBM, WMAQ
11:30 Dance Orchestras—WGN

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12:00 Nightcap—WMAQ

SATURDAY

Afternoon
12:00 Man on the

POLO

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Prisoner of War

Mrs. Max Reed of Rockford received a telegram from the Red Cross Thursday informing her that her husband Pvt. Max Reed who has been reported missing since Dec. 8, 1944 somewhere in Germany is now a prisoner of the Germans. Pvt. Reed's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reed of Polo. They were former residents of Polo before Max was inducted into the army over a year ago.

Mrs. Elmer Snowberger of Mt. Morris visited several days recently with Mrs. Myrtle Travis. Mrs. Snowberger is planning to leave in the near future for Ft. Worth, Texas where she plans to make her home.

Civic League Dinner

A 6:30 dinner will be served Monday evening in the town hall. Guests will be wives of the Business and Professional men of Polo, the employees and their wives of the Polo firms. W. T. Netman consulting engineer of Freeport will be the guest speaker.

Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. John Kamer entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doyle, Pat and Julia Ann, Miss Honora Kramer. The occasion was in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Doyle.

Junior Woman's Club

Mrs. Fred Cannon will be hostess Tuesday evening March 13 to the Polo Junior Woman's club.

The program will be given by Mrs. Betz Falcon and Miss Betty Linker on "Russia."

Polo Woman's Club

The Polo Woman's club room will meet Tuesday afternoon 2:15 p. m. Martin U. Pterman of Oregon will give a talk on "Rock River and Its Natural History." Miss Ina Poole was a guest Thursday of Mrs. Martin Coffey. The Mesdames Robert Isenberger and Robert Gilbert spent the evening they attended a banquet at the Faust hotel that was given by circulation department of the Rockford Morning Star to the circulation managers of surrounding towns.

Union Lenten Service

The Union Lenten Service will be held Sunday evening 7:45 p. m. at the Evangelical church with Rev. Albert S. Nelson of the Christian church bringing the message, "The Cross and Sincerity."

Mid-Week Lenten Service

The mid-week Lenten service of the Lutheran church will be held Wednesday evening March 14 at 7:45 p. m. with the Rev. Martin Kabele bringing the message "What Changed Pilate's Personality." Special music by the Junior choir under the direction of Mrs. Marrian Marine.

Church News

St. Mary's Catholic Church
C. A. Deitch, pastor
Mass 10:00 a. m.
Lenten Devotions every Friday
7:30 p. m.

The Lutheran Church

Martin Kabele, pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Church worship service.

The Methodist Church

Ralph Greiser, minister
10:00 a. m. Church school.

11:00 a. m. worship theme, "As It Was In The Beginning It Now And Ever Shall Be."

Church of the Brethren

M. E. Clingenpeel, minister
10:00 a. m. Church school. R. O. Blough supt.

The Evangelical Church

Ervin A. Schmidt, pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday school hour under the direction of Ross Hostetler and Miss Dorothy Bowers.

Christian Church

Albert S. Nelson, minister
Sunday morning worship and Communion at 10:00 o'clock.
11 a. m. Sunday school. Leslie Scott supt.

Pine Creek Christian Church

Albert S. Nelson, minister
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
Powell Cunningham adult supt.
Mrs. P. H. Wragg, junior supt.

Church service

11 a. m. Sermon by the minister.
First Presbyterian Church
Lewis Meskimen, pastor
Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Mrs. A. O. Swanson supt.
11:00 a. m. worship service.

Beanblossom Addresses
Dixon FFA Meeting

Dixon chapter, Future Farmers of America, held Thursday evening William Beanblossom gave an interesting talk on high school life and junior farm organizations now in comparison to the time he attended school. Boys of the present day have great opportunity for advancement and in his remarks he encouraged the members to continue in their efforts to become the farmers of tomorrow.

The speaker accounted for the severe shortage of legume seed by the fact that our government is shipping tons of legume seed to our allies through lend lease. Also in the post-war world the United States will probably export large amounts of livestock to Europe the members were told. It was reported that a group of Dixon business and professional men have indicated a willingness to assist on farms in this area during the summer months, which assistance will be greatly needed and much appreciated.

NURSES' RECORD SHEETS

at
The B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

WALNUT

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Reporter
Telephone R388F

Donation to Red Cross

Members of the Walnut Garden club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louie Wright with 15 present including three guests, Mrs. Dora Czech and Mrs. Harold Hayden of New Bedford and Mrs. Elmer Wright of Normandy. The business session was in charge of Mrs. C. M. Knight and a donation of \$10 was made to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Marion Borop directed the reading of several papers on "Meet Your Begonias." She was assisted by Mrs. Melvin Durham, Mrs. J. J. Johnson, Mrs. Irene Conigam and Mrs. Lester Watkins. A social hour and lunch followed.

Walnut Briefs

Rev. H. E. Grimme returned home Tuesday evening from Chicago where he conducted the funeral service of a member of his home church, and was one of the donors to the blood bank on Tuesday.

Mrs. Marion Borop and Mrs. Edward Marshall were Sterling shoppers Tuesday.

Mrs. B. T. Esquerra returned to her home in Knoxville, Tenn. Monday after spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Grabbil.

Mrs. Dallas Wallis was a Thursday shopper in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. John Winger were

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Winger of Sheffield.

W. M. S. Birthday Party

Members and friends of the Red Oak Evangelical W. M. S. held its annual birthday social and dinner at the parsonage Wednesday. Activities began with a scramble dinner at noon, after which stunts and games were played and given, representing the various months of the year. They were conducted by Misses Laura and Mary Hoffman and Mesdames Clara Guither, Eleanor Burke, Floss Bacorn, Beulah Ioder, Annie Massie, Dessie Baumgartner, Millie Gonigam, Bess Hammerle, Elsie Grimme and Irene Heaton. All reported having a fine time and enjoyed the events of the day.

Class Supper

The Hustlers class of the Red Oak Evangelical church met Monday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Grimme with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kraner assisting. A 6:30 supper was served to 20 members and two guests, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Glafka.

In Armed Forces
F/O Francis Bangston has been transferred from Keesler Field, Miss., to a pilots' pool at Moore Field, Mission, Tex., where he graduated.

Nazi Radio Says Adolf
Visited Oder Sector

London, March 9—(AP)—The German radio said today that Hitler had visited the Oder river front.

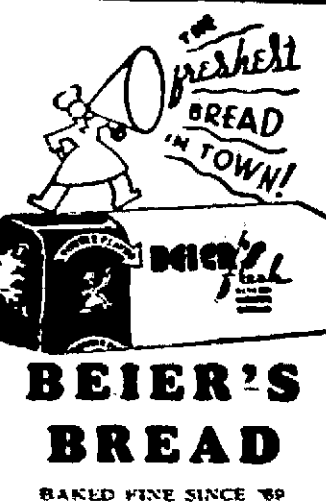
The Transocean agency said he had "convinced himself personally of the fighting spirit of the German soldiers on the Oder."

"A number of photos of the visit have been published in the German press," it added.

The broadcast also said that Hitler had assured himself of German defensive measures. It did not specify the date of the visit.

SKATE

For Fun At the
DOME ROLLER RINK

75 District Two
Youths Receive
Calls from Board

Selective Service board No. 2, at Amboy today issued a call for 75 2-C registrants who have been ordered to report for pre-induction call as follows:

Delbert Andrew Ikeler, Earlville; Charles Henry Lucas, Harmon; Robert Edward Herrmann, route 2, Steward; Vernon Ruben Leffelman, route 4, Dixon; Arland Raymond Vogeler, route 1, Ashton; Dale Edward McLean, Ashton; Harold Charles Dietz, Harmon; Kenneth LeRoy Danekas, Ashton; Charles Aaron McCarter, Woonung; Wilbur LeRoy Mullins, route 1, Harmon; Morris Nelson, route 1, Steward; Oakley Junior Durr, route 1, Paw Paw; Donald Mag Reed, route 2, Dixon; Wilfred John Salz, route 3, Streator; James Robert Heiden, route 1, Harmon; Richard Samuel J. Rhea, route 1, Earlville; Arthur Jacob Bulfer, route 1, Sublette; Martin William Ravness, Steward; Bernard James Ritzpatrick, route 1, Amboy; Frederick Robert Avery, Compton; Omar Davison, Steward; Wilbert Frederick A. Feigenhauer, route 2, Steward; Raymond John Twardowski, route 2, Amboy; Lawrence Andrew Clayton, route 2, Franklin Grove; Lorenz Walter M. Metzger, route 2, Rochelle; Robert J. Moeller, route 76, Nelson.

Transferred in — Gordon Ralph Wicklund, Steward.

Edward Francis Ackert, route 2, Dixon; Raymond Warren Pyce, route 2, Franklin Grove; Philip Edward Schmidt, Jr., route 1, Compton; Dale William Kromm, route 1, Earlville; Arthur Jacob Leos, route 1, Mendota; Elroy Edward Schlesinger, Compton; Robert Norman McLaughlin, route 1, Sublette; Vernon Marvin Olson, route 2, Dixon; Oliver Loren Miller, route 1, West Brooklyn; Lawrence Julius Xastad, route 3, Rochelle; Lyle William Heinzerich, route 2, Harmon; Leo George Untz, route 1, West Brooklyn; Marie Vernon Butler, Ashton; Charles Andrew Hummel, route 4, Dixon; Elmer Harrison Ringler, Jr., route 2, Dixon; John Albert J. Lee, route 1, Caledonia, Ill.; Arthur Lee Book, route 1, Compton; Harold Eugene Frank, Compton.

Day By Day
On the Air

by
C. E. BUTTERFIELD

(Central War Time)

New York March 9—(AP)—Any application of the midnight amusement curfew to broadcasting other than already in effect is not contemplated, the office of Stabilization Director Byrnes at Washington has indicated.

Only a few network programs in two categories come under the present request, for which the Byrnes office said it was "getting compliance." These were three post-midnight shows which were repeated before the New York audiences for the west coast, and a half-dozen or so dance bands picked up just before or after 12 from local night spots.

Audiences of two repeat shows, Henry Aldrich on CBS and the Donald Voorhees concert on NBC,

Amel C. Vincent, route 3, Amboy; Clayton Alvin Weiler, Compton; Fred Gray Thompson, route 1, Wyanet; Newton August Schlesinger, Paw Paw; Walter Ernest Kessler, route 1, West Brooklyn; Ralph Elwood Fischer, route 2, LaMoille; Frederick Alexander Gehant, West Brooklyn; Alvin William Kerchner, route 3, Amboy; Gerald Jack Delhotel, route 1, Amboy; Raymond William Dimmig, route 1, Harmon; John LeRoy Miller, box 7, Nelson; Earl William Barnickel, Compton; Ernest Melvin Smallwood, Harmon; Leo Francis Eisenberg, route 3, Amboy; Leo Patrick McCaffrey, route 2, Dixon; John LaVerne Mahaffey, West Brooklyn; Paul Joseph O'Rourke, route 1, Steward; Delos Ralph Kettley, route 1, Compton; Duane Lee Dimmig, Harmon; Milton Paul Rapp, Sublette; James Desmond Dunn, route 1, Harmon; Robert E. Berogan, route 1, Amboy; Joseph Bernardin, Steward; Francis John Ege, West Brooklyn; Dale Klaus Elmer Svela, Steward; Charles Phillip Groth, route 1, Amboy; Donald Wayne Cruise, route 1, Amboy; James Robert Kent, Harmon; Leonard L. Zimmerlein, LaMoille.

have been eliminated. A third, the "Hit Parade on CBS, is being eliminated and the west coast stations hooked onto the 9 o'clock broadcast despite the fact it is only 6 o'clock Pacific Time.

A Premiere for CBS at 8:30 tonight is another family drama, "Those Websters, in the time formerly occupied by That Brewster Boy.

On the air tonight (Friday): NBC—7 Paul Lavalle melody; 8 Waltz Time; 8:30 People Are Funny; 10:30 Great Novel "Vanity Fair"; CBS—7 Henry Aldrich; 8 It Pays to Be Ignorant; 9 Moore and Durante; 10:30 Lonesome Ranger; 7:30 Variations by Van Cleave; 8 Famous Jury Trials; 9 Sammy Kaye varieties; MBS—6:15 Sinfonietta; 7:15 Curt Massey; 8:30 Double or Nothing.

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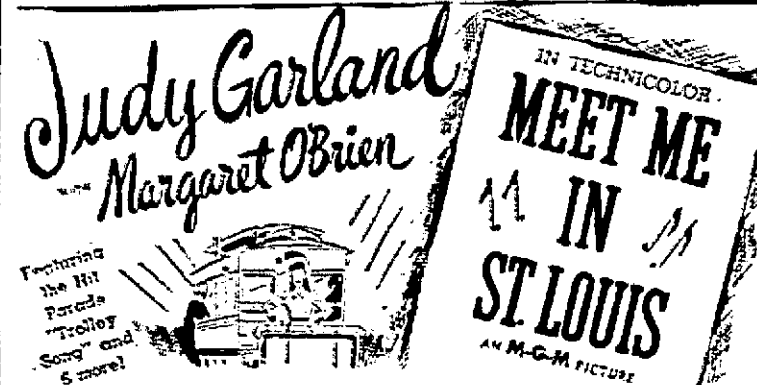


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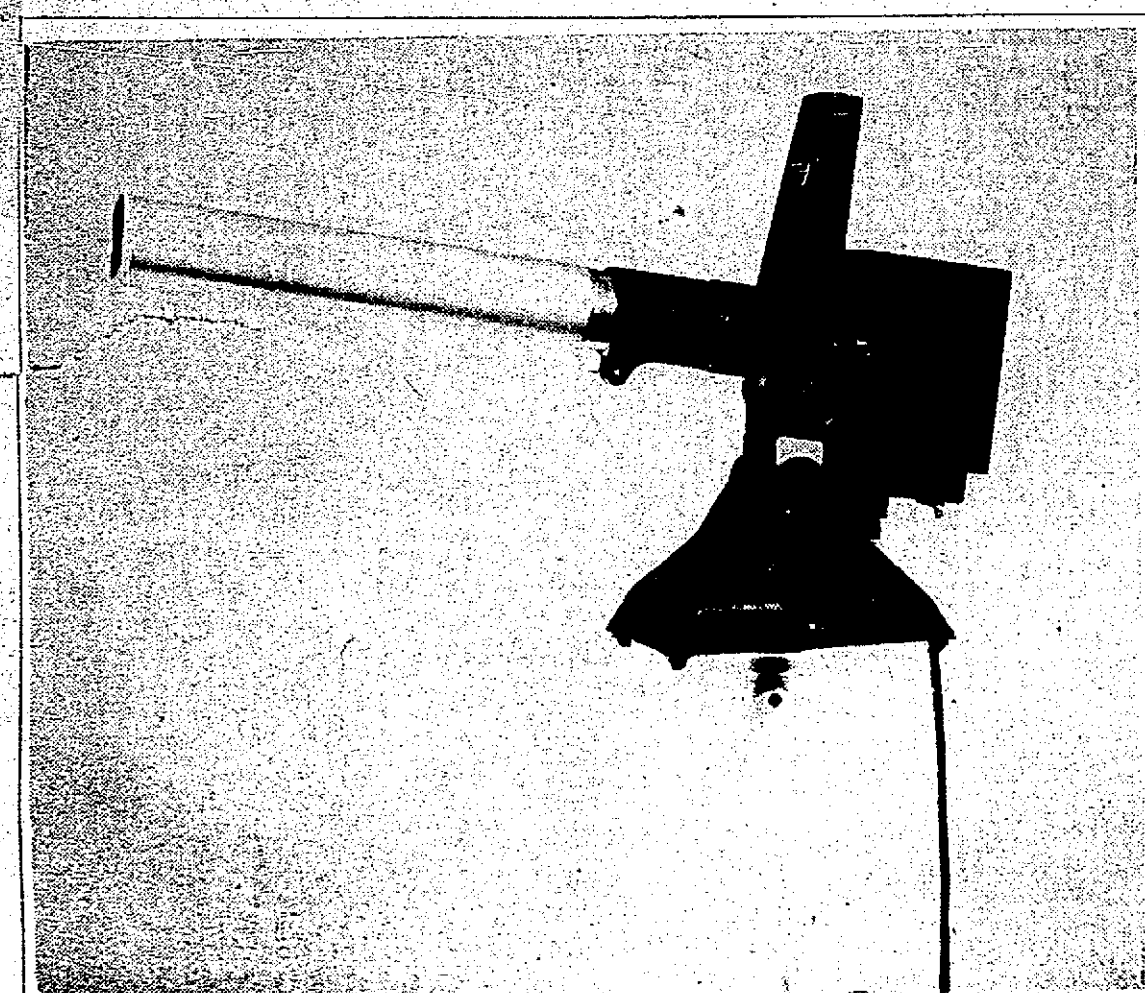
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